

## Column A

## City banks say free checking just too costly

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Lincoln banking customers who have come to think of free checking as their due are finding it instead a privilege, as easily revoked as granted.

Most Lincoln banks have returned to some system of minimum balances or monthly service charges for checking account customers.

The plans differ, from gimmicky clubs with flat rates to formulas based on the average monthly balance maintained in an account.

Some banks require \$200 to \$300 minimum balances for free checking. Service charges range from \$1 to \$3 per month and in some cases include an extra 10 cents per check.

But the reason for the fees is the same, bankers say: They are no longer willing to absorb the expense of a service that is costing them increasingly more money.

For example, for an account with an average balance of \$240, 15 percent or \$36 must be kept in reserve. The bank can invest the remaining \$204 at 5 percent interest, earning \$10.20 annually.

But while the bank has used the money to make money, it also costs approximately \$50 to administer the account for the year. So, the net loss to the bank is \$39.40.

Service charges will not mean checking accounts can be run at a profit, bankers insist. Instead, the monthly fees will allow banks to recoup a percentage of the loss incurred in administering the accounts.

Bank officials add that checking accounts, even with the recently instituted charges, offer the cheapest bookkeeping service available.

## Checking subsidized

Some bankers say free checking has been subsidized by loan customers and the larger accounts. Also, because of free checking, stockholders have received somewhat lower returns on their investments, others contend. One banker said his stockholders should be earning 12% on their investments, but aren't.

National Bank of Commerce Senior Vice President Ross Hecht acknowledges some customers have closed their NBC checking accounts. Many were minimum balance accounts — ones that cost a lot to administer, but offered little in bank earnings, he said.

Although Hecht thinks NBC might have added around 4,000 new accounts had it stayed with free checking, he said, the changeover was a defensive move.

"We didn't want the expense of taking on non-profitable accounts," he explained. "That would be compounding the bank's problem."

Four years ago, when Havelock Bank first offered free checking to draw customers, the gimmick worked.

"We were surprised at the number of people who would move their accounts just to have free checking," said Havelock Bank President Gordon Kuhn.

But with free checking, families and individuals set up multiple accounts and money once in one account was spread over two or three.

In addition, the number of written checks per account "went up from 21 or 22 per month to 29 per month," he said. "And the average balance dipped around \$200, from an average of \$700 to under \$500."

The competitive edge Havelock Bank gained with its innovative free checking softened as other Lincoln banks followed suit.

"When all are equal, what competitive edge do you have?" asked Don Dischner, vice president of First National Bank. "More accounts didn't necessarily mean account balance growth."

Since the conversion to free checking in mid-1975, First National's total dollar amount in checking accounts has grown only 4 percent.

"That doesn't even keep up with inflation," Dischner said. He added that paper volume at the bank increased 33 percent with over one million more pieces of paper processed from 1975 to 1976.

## Not a bundle

The public, however, assumes banks are making a bundle by investing the interest-free money contained in checking accounts.

Not so, claim several bankers. NBC makes an average net return of 4 percent after expenses, Hecht said.

Citibank keeps checking account money in liquid assets, President Jim Masonbrink said. That means short-term, low yield investments, such as U.S. Treasury and agency bonds, with 4 percent returns.

A higher interest is earned when checking account money is pooled with other bank funds and invested in long-term, high-rate investments, Kuhn said.

"Free checking a loss-leader — like Safeway having lettuce on sale," Masonbrink said. It is a pricing mechanism that hopefully attracts full-service customers.

But Masonbrink says the cost of administering the processing accounts has doubled to around \$60 per account in the past four years.

A Federal Reserve Board study puts the national average cost of processing a checking account at upwards of \$50 annually.

NBC processes 150,000 checks daily. From computer to hand-sorting, each check goes through eight or nine steps before the customer gets it back in his monthly statement. This costs the bank 16 cents per transaction.

"Somebody has to pay for that," said Hecht, who figures it would take an average monthly balance of \$800 for the bank to break even on its checking accounts administrative costs.

Gateway Bank President Karl Dickinson said his bank was the first to revert to service charges in January 1976.

Customers carried larger balances, wrote fewer checks and overdrafts declined when fees were assessed, he said.

Dickinson cited the bank's increase in deposits and earnings in 1976 and 1977 to show that the charges weren't damaging.

Union Bank, on the other hand, has decided to maintain free checking but President Jay Dunlap said he's not interested in an advertising campaign to attract hoards of new customers.

"We're not trying to get out of our territory," he said. Martell State Bank, which has offered free checking since 1905, reports some 300 new customers in the last six weeks.

## Sadat plans round table for talks

Cairo, Egypt (AP) — Egypt delivered formal invitations Sunday to a preparatory peace conference in Cairo next week while Syria sought to undermine President Anwar Sadat's initiative.

Sadat said in a television interview that representatives at the Cairo summit would sit around a table and work without a mediator. He said he was forging ahead toward a comprehensive Mideast settlement at Geneva even if the Arab world disagreed.

The Egyptian president said he had informed neither the United States nor his Arab allies in advance about the Cairo meeting. He said he intended to call an Arab summit conference after reaching a settlement at Geneva.

Sadat said the Cairo meeting could start as early as next Saturday, but official sources said it might be delayed for a week beyond that.

Sadat's acting foreign minister, Butros B. Ghali, delivered the formal invitations to the ambassadors of the United States and the Soviet Union, co-chairmen of the Geneva peace conference, and those of Jordan, Syria and Lebanon.

Syria rejected Sadat's invitation in advance, but Syrian Ambassador Ahmed al Assaad said he would forward it to his government. He was asked if there was a chance Syria might attend and replied, "Until now, no."

It was not immediately known if the United States was given an invitation to deliver to Israel or if one had been extended to the Palestine Liberation Organization, which has said it would not attend anyway.

An Egyptian Foreign Ministry official told reporters that Palestinians had been invited and added, "Everyone will interpret who the Palestinians are according to their own position. Egypt's position is clear."

Egypt accepted a resolution at the 1974 Arab summit conference calling the PLO the sole representative of the Palestinian people. But the official's statement appeared to indicate Egypt was looking for a way to overcome Israeli objections to sitting down with the PLO.

A spokesman for Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin said in Jerusalem that Israel would not go to Cairo if the PLO sent a representative.

"No Israeli delegation will negotiate in any

way and any place with the so-called PLO, whether it is in Geneva or Cairo or the moon," Begin said after a cabinet meeting.

Begin also said Israel would attend the Cairo meeting even if it meant negotiating only with Egyptians. Sadat said Saturday that if no Arabs came he would talk with the Israelis.

The Israeli leader said his cabinet would choose its negotiator after the formal invitation has been received. Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan was considered a likely choice.

In ruling out a trip to Cairo, Syria and the PLO announced they would attend an Arab "refusal summit" scheduled Thursday in Tripoli, Libya, to form a unified opposition to Sadat's initiative. Also expected to attend that meeting are representatives from Algeria, Iraq and South Yemen that are opposed to any deals with Israel.

Libya's official JANA news agency, renewing its call for the Tripoli meeting, said it was "urgent and pressing" that at least the foreign ministers of Arab nations attend.

Sadat's summons to the Mideast disputants to meet in Cairo came a week after his

dramatic visit to Israel, a visit he said broke down psychological barriers to Arab-Israeli negotiations and to reconvening the Geneva peace conference. The conference has been recessed since a brief opening in 1973.

Sources in Damascus said Syria had asked the Palestinians, Jordan and Lebanon to refuse to attend Sadat's meeting. The sources said it was believed a similar request was made to U.N. Secretary General Kurt Waldheim.

A PLO spokesman in Beirut issued a statement Saturday threatening any West Bank Arab with execution if he attended the Cairo meeting.

Jordan and Lebanon have not yet responded to the invitation.

Sadat said he had had no reaction from Saudi Arabia, which has remained silent on the proposed talks.

"The Saudis have their own idea . . . I don't know what it is but our relations are on a normal and brotherly level up till now."

He said the fact that Saudi Arabia provided large sums of money to keep the Egyptian economy afloat was not a factor.

## Man arrested in shooting at supper club

Omaha (UPI) — A man walked into a supper club Saturday night with a .12-gauge shotgun and unleashed six shots within 30 seconds into a stunned crowd of more than 200 persons, killing an off-duty sheriff's captain and wounding 25 others.

All available Omaha area law enforcement officers were pressed into a massive search and about five hours later Ulysses L. Cribbs, 32, was arrested without resistance at his north Omaha home and booked on suspicion of first degree murder and three counts of shooting with intent to kill, wound or maim.

"He just said he was angry — that's all he said," said police Lt. Foster Burchard after talking with Cribbs Sunday. "He didn't run out of the place, he walked out."

Burchard said Cribbs told detectives he was a Vietnam veteran, unemployed and "on a pension of some sort."

Following the incident at the Club 89 in west Omaha, Burchard said Cribbs allegedly told "two people to call the police — that he had just shot some people."

Capt. Dennis Lipari, 39, the father of six, was fatally wounded by a shotgun blast to the head, while his wife, Ruth, was critically wounded in both eyes. They were among a group which included two other off-duty sheriff's deputies seated at a table awaiting the start of a puppet show by WOW Radio disc jockey Dave Wingert.

Revised police figures released Sunday showed 27 persons were taken to four Omaha hospitals. Lipari died. Another person, who was not wounded, was treated for a heart attack, leaving 25 with shotgun pellet wounds.

Nine persons remained hospitalized Sunday. Six were listed in fair condition and three in good condition. Doctors at Bergan Mercy Hospital said Mrs. Lipari's left eye was removed during surgery Saturday night and they were attempting to save the right eye. She was one of those in fair condition.

"We heard an explosion out in the front lobby. It sounded like a chandelier falling or a bottle of champagne popping," said Omaha Kenneth Joos, whose wife and two daughters-in-law were wounded. "Then this fellow came running down from the front door to the stage. He was hollering 'no, no, no. The suspect was apparently chasing him.'"

As it turned out, details of the incident showed the suspect entered the restaurant lobby, fired one blast at a man standing by the door, another at Dorene Grey, 16, the Club 89's coat check girl, and then went to a landing where he fired four more shots into the crowd.

Police detective Robert Brisby said the suspect fired one shot at him outside the club, but Burchard said the suspect would not confirm he did so.

Some of the Club 89 patrons first thought the incident was part of Wingert's show.

"We thought it was part of the stage act," Joos said. "Then someone on the stage hollered, 'Get down, get down,' and everybody dove under the table."



Killed: Sheriff's Capt. Dennis Lipari.

"There was a lot of hollering and screaming," said Joos, who was seated three tables from the lobby. "We heard whatever it was whizzing by us."

Wingert, who suffered a superficial pellet wound, said he heard a "bang that sounded like a firecracker." Wingert said he saw a man "staggering down the aisle."

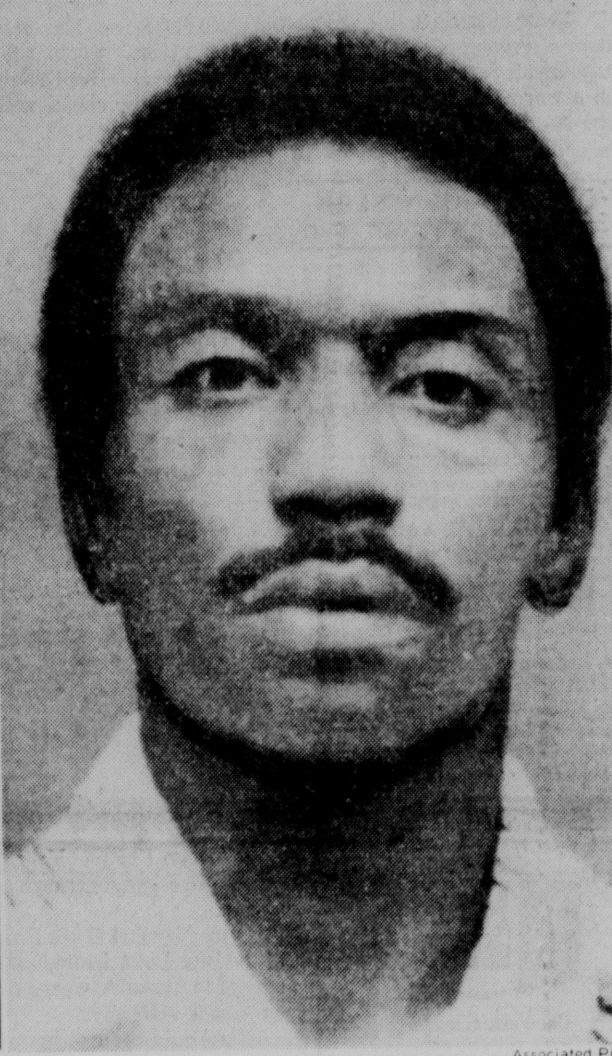
"I heard another shot and saw a flash and felt a pain in my shoulder," Wingert said. "God or somebody was looking after me. They said it was buckshot and it bounced off me. After I felt that, I hit the floor."

Deputy Police Chief Jack Swanson said after the shooting the suspect "casually walked out to his car, put his shotgun in the back seat and drove off."

Witnesses obtained a partial number of the car's license plate and that, coupled with the fact a sheriff's deputy, who went to school with Cribbs, recognized the description, led to the suspect's arrest.

Police homicide Sgt. Charles Parker said Cribbs was the second owner of a white Chrysler Cordoba, the type of car seen leaving the scene, that officers had checked out.

Parker said Cribbs was clad in pajamas and watching television when officers arrived at his house and he invited



Booked: Ulysses L. Cribbs, 32.

them inside before the arrest was made. Parker said a disassembled .12-gauge shotgun was found inside a closet and the car was in the garage.

Cribbs lived at the house with a woman who had a different last name, Parker said. She was at work before and after the shooting and was informed of it by detectives when she returned home.

"The relatives we've talked with who saw the suspect Saturday said he showed no outward signs of being other than his normal self," Parker said.

Parker said Cribbs went to the Club 89 a week ago when singer Marilyn Maye was appearing.

"From what we can determine he had a few drinks and was very cordial," Parker said. "He asked to see Miss Maye but she got tied up with something else and was unable to meet him."

Parker said Miss Maye telephoned police from Kansas City to verify she had no meeting with Cribbs.

"As far as we can determine, the suspect had nothing against anyone or no motive for shooting anyone when he returned to the club Saturday night," Parker said. "I wish to God I knew why he did it. I wish to God we could find out."

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## Food stamp shares to rise

By Gerry Switzer  
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Beginning Jan. 1, low-income families will be able to purchase more food stamps with the same amount of money they now are spending.

To keep pace with rising food costs, monthly food stamp allotments will be increased Jan. 1 by at least \$2 for all households except single persons, according to Carol Tucker Foreman, assistant secretary of agriculture.

For example, a family of four will receive an allotment of \$174 worth of stamps as compared with the current \$170 allotment per month.

The amount the family must pay for the stamps, which varies with the amount of family income, will not rise.

For a family of four with a monthly income of \$400, that \$174 worth of stamps will still cost the recipient the \$113 the family is currently paying for \$170 worth of stamps.

However, the same family of four

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(for family of four with \$400 monthly income after Jan. 1, 1978)

with an income of only \$300 pays only \$83 for the \$174 worth of stamps while the four-person family with monthly income of \$525 is required to pay \$149 for that amount.

Monthly net income eligibility standards also will rise for most households beginning in 1978. Net income cut-offs will be higher with the exception of one and two-person households.

The monthly net income limit for a

family of four, for example, will rise from \$567 to \$580. According to food stamp regulations, income eligibility limits rise when food stamp allotments are increased.

The regulations further require the USDA to use either allotment-based calculations or the poverty guidelines, whichever are higher, in setting income eligibility limits.

Listed below are the new net income limits, which become effective Jan. 1, as compared with the current limits:

Size of Household	New Income Limit	Current Income Limit
One person	\$262	\$262
Two persons	344	344
Three persons	460	447
Four persons	580	567
Five persons	687	673
Six persons	827	807
Seven persons	913	893
Eight persons	1,047	1,020

For each household with more than eight members, the added amount increases from \$127 to \$133 on Jan. 1.

much of the Great Lakes and lower Ohio Valley. Winter storm warnings were issued for southern Illinois, extreme southern Indiana and central and northeast Wisconsin.

Storm watches were also in effect from the Virginias to New York state and Vermont, and inland to Pennsylvania where up to four inches of snow had accumulated in most areas.

Record lows for the date were reported in Michigan and Indiana.

## Storms cover East with more snow

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A series of winter storms whistled across the eastern half of the nation Sunday, dumping another layer of snow on many areas and making travel miserable for millions of Americans homebound from holiday outings.

Hardest hit was Indiana where another two to four inches of snow blanketed the state, adding to the 20 inches on the ground in the South Bend area. At least 11 deaths were attributed

to the storm, including five persons killed in a plane crash near Salem in the southern part of the state.

Freezing rain ranged from northern Missouri into the lower Ohio Valley, making early morning travel extremely hazardous. State police around Springfield, Ill., reported several hundred cars stalled on interstate highways and roads where snow and sleet melted and had frozen again.

Travelers advisories were issued for

## Partly sunny

LINCOLN: Partly sunny Monday. High 35 to 40. Winds becoming southerly 5 to 15 m.p.h. Considerable cloudiness and not as cold Monday night. Low Monday night in the mid to upper 20s.

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## Today's Chuckle

Most people don't mind going to work. It's that long wait before quitting time that bothers them.

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## Six killed in train blast

Berlin (AP) — A locomotive exploded Sunday and set fire to several passenger cars at an East German train station, killing six persons and injuring 45, the state news agency ADN reported.

The agency said eight of the injured were in serious condition.

The explosion occurred as the train from East Berlin arrived at Bitterfeld station outside the city of Halle, 72 miles southwest of Berlin.

Railway workers, firemen and volunteers fought the blaze in the rain, ADN said.

A special commission from the Transport Ministry raced to the scene from East Berlin to lead the rescue action and investigate the cause of the blast, the agency said.

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# Despite cold drizzle, about 3,400 Presley fans view his grave

Memphis, Tenn. (AP) — About 3,400 Elvis Presley fans braved cold, wet weather here Sunday to walk along the quarter-mile drive inside the gates of Graceland Mansion for the first public viewing of the rock 'n' roll king's gravesite.

About a dozen persons were left standing outside when security guards closed the wrought iron gates at 4 p.m. The gates, decorated with musical notes and a guitar player, had opened 15 minutes earlier than scheduled because of the crowd gathered outside.

"We just couldn't keep the people back," said mansion security chief Dick Grob.

He said 536 persons filed through between 8:45 a.m. and 11 a.m., when the gates were shut to allow guards and mansion employees time to eat lunch, rest and change into dry clothes.

Nearly 2,900 more fans filed through after the gates were reopened at 1 p.m., he said.

Grob estimated that, based on the first day of public viewing, about 5,000 fans a day will be able to view the graves of Presley and his mother, Gladys Love Presley.

The bodies were moved to the mansion grounds Oct. 2 after police said they had foiled a plot to steal the singer's body from the Forest Hills cemetery mausoleum.

Tears rolled down the face of Willie Turner of Tuscola, Ill., as she walked away from the gravesites just south of the big mansion Sunday.

"We lost a great man. We lost so very, very much," she said.

She was in one of the first groups admitted to the mansion grounds.

Some of those in line had waited since Saturday afternoon standing near the gate, then trading off with a friend to spend an hour or two in a warm car nearby. Temperatures fell into the 30s Saturday night.

A nearby all-night convenience store did a brisk business in green, plastic garbage bags which were modified to serve as emergency ponchos for those who were ill-prepared for the cold, drizzling rain.

Grob estimated that the crowd had grown from about 50 people at midnight Saturday to more than 1,000 by 7 a.m. Sunday.

The line of people outside the gate quickly grew shorter as groups of 25 to 30 and later as many as 60 were escorted by parka-clad security guards up the winding driveway to the Meditation Garden. Many carried flowers - mostly roses - or cameras as they made the trek.

In the garden, the fans stood silently and with heads bowed before the twin graves.

Some were weeping as they left the garden.

Presley, who died of a heart attack Aug. 16, lies beneath a bronze tablet bearing an epitaph written by his father, Vernon Presley praising him as a "legend in his own time."

At the bottom of the tablet, is Presley's personal insignia, a lightning bolt and the initials "TCB," which stands for "taking care of business."

While his body was in the mausoleum, thousands of Presley fans flocked to the cemetery, but often seemed bent on leaving with souvenirs, such as tufts of grass and tree limbs.

The crowd was more orderly Sunday at the mansion, with only a few of the fans Sunday picking up leaves in the Meditation Garden. Grob said there were no acts of vandalism during the first few hours.

The elder Presley had said the gravesites would not be open during inclement weather. But Grob said Sunday the family decided to go ahead with the public viewing because of the crowd.



Under cold damp skies, fans of the late rock star glimpse his grave on Graceland estate.

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## These are tasty days for Ronnie

Dyersville, Iowa (AP) — Six-year-old Ronnie Jaspers (had) the happiest Thanksgiving he can remember. He got to eat turkey. And Saturday he tasted spaghetti and Tuesday he gets pizza.

"With sausage and mushroom. And cheese on it," Ronnie giggled in anticipation.

Until two weeks ago, Ronnie, born with phenylketonuria — better known as PKU — was limited to seven fruits, a few vegetables and a nutrient-fortified milk specially prepared by the University of Iowa hospitals.

The one child in 20,000 with the genetic defect must avoid protein foods to prevent brain damage and possible mental retardation.

But Dr. Jean McDonnell, director the PKU team at University Hospitals, said

studies demonstrate it is safe to allow a PKU child to eat protein after the age of 6 since brain development is 95 percent complete by then and the brain doesn't deteriorate.

Other physicians, however, recommend that PKU children follow a low-protein diet for life.

"He really liked it — he really enjoyed it," Ronnie's mother, Karla, said of her son's first Thanksgiving turkey. "He had his first hamburger Wednesday. He liked that, too."

"It tasted like chicken," said Ronnie, an otherwise normal, healthy child. "I got it last Sunday."

"Thanksgiving Day, we went over to our sister-in-law's and Ronnie walked in and said 'I get to have meat today,'" his mother said. "He went to school and told everyone

there."

School lunches have been a problem for Ronnie, who goes to kindergarten.

Last year, at a Head Start program, his meals were specially prepared for him. But it isn't that easy now that he goes to school.

"This year, I would send him milk every day to school with him," Mrs. Jasper said. "They would send me a list and I would have to cross out what he couldn't have. If it wasn't enough, I would send his lunch."

Before Oct. 23, Ronnie's parents had to measure each of the few fruits and vegetables he could eat. He could have only so many milligrams a day.

"A lot of times I didn't make cakes or cookies around here," Mrs. Jasper said. "My oldest kind of got neglected. But I thought if we didn't have it, it wouldn't tempt Ronnie."

Then, for the first two weeks on his new diet, Ronnie was allowed all the fruits and vegetables he wanted. Next came two weeks when he was allowed breads and cereals. Last week he was allowed meat and eggs and in another week, he can have milk and ice cream.

"It's kind of exciting around here watching him eat things for the first time," Mrs. Jasper said.

Ronnie's parents must continue to check the level of phenylalanine (a protein component) in his blood. But they have hopes it will stay at an acceptable level.

"In two weeks he should be able to have anything he wants unless his blood level goes back up," Mrs. Jasper said. "But the people at the hospital say that hasn't happened before."

"I'm glad it's over with."

## Four die in tavern fire

Chicago (AP) — Four persons were killed early Sunday when a fire swept through a West Side tavern shortly after it closed.

Fire Marshal Ennis Rice said the blaze began in the front of the Blue Point Lounge, where three bodies were found, and spread to the back, where firemen found a fourth victim lying on a back stairway.

Rice said the fire burned up that stairway and spread to apartments on the second floor, causing heavy damage to the two-story brick building.

## School lunch

**Tuesday**  
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## Congress poll notes smoking

Washington (AP) — Three out of four members of Congress who responded to a questionnaire said they have quit smoking or never had the habit, the Physicians Radio Network announced Sunday.

The broadcast service, which provides special radio programs for the medical community, said 128 members of the House and Senate, or 24 percent, responded to its smoking questionnaire or follow-up telephone calls.

Of the 128, 60 said they never smoked, 35 said they were ex-smokers, and 33 said they smoke now.

But 96 percent of the respondents said smoking "poses a threat to the smoker's health," the network reported, and 60 percent said it also threatens "those who come into contact with exhaled smoke."

Opinions were divided on what the government should do about cigarettes, but only eight members said they would consider banning cigarette smoking.

PRN said its study was prompted by a recently released survey by the Federal Center for Disease Control which found the number of U.S. physicians smoking cigarettes dropped from 30 percent in 1967 to 21 percent — or slightly more than one in five doctors — in 1975.

## Saccharin labeling begins in February

Washington (UPI) — Packages of saccharin and all foods containing the artificial sweetener will begin carrying labels next Feb. 23 warning the product could cause cancer, the Food and Drug Administration said Sunday.

The warning will state:

"Use of this product may be hazardous to your health. This product contains saccharin which has been determined to cause cancer in laboratory animals."

The labeling is required 90 days from the date President Carter signed the Saccharin Study and Labeling Act. He did so on Nov. 23.

In addition to the labeling regulation, the act forbids the FDA from removing saccharin from the market for 18 months.

"All the available evidence demonstrates that saccharin can cause cancer in test animals and does so; and we have every reason to believe that it also causes cancer in people," said FDA Assistant Commissioner John Walden.

The FDA will hold a public hearing on the order Dec. 2.

## Pet tiger mauls boy, 5, at home of family friend

Burbank, Calif. (UPI) — A five-year-old boy, mauled by a friend's pet tiger, was listed in critical condition in a hospital Sunday.

Officials said the incident occurred while John Applewhite, 5, of Canoga Park and his family was visiting a family friend, Dee Arland, in the Tujunga area north of here.

The boy and two sisters were sleeping on a front room floor at the Arland home when the tiger wandered into the room and began slapping the sleeping boy.

Miss Arland told deputies she keeps the five-year-old, 400-pound, defanged and declawed tiger in her bedroom at night.

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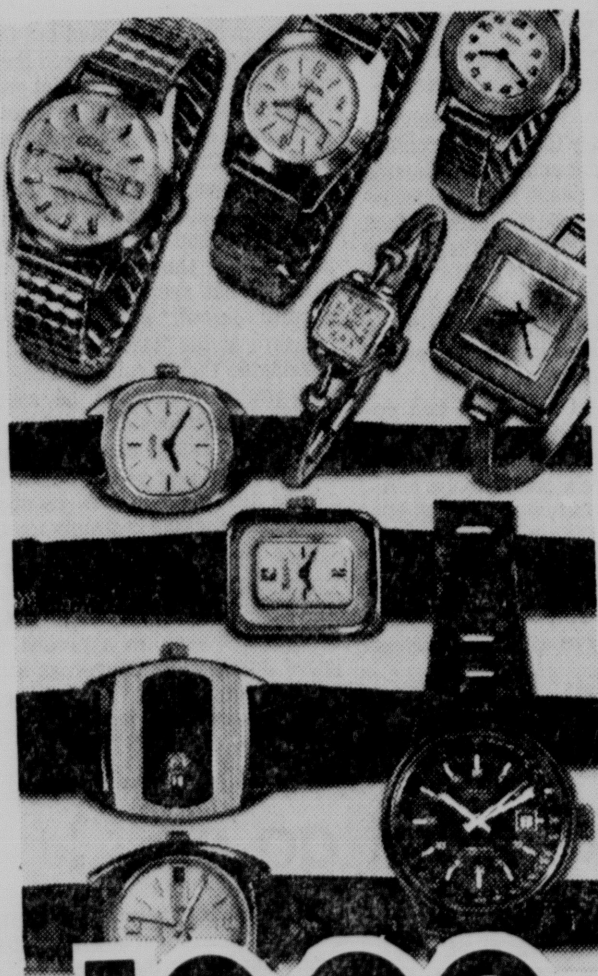


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### Bank limits loans

Boston (AP) — The First National Bank of Boston has joined a number of other major U.S. banks who have decided to limit their loan commitments to South Africa because of political instability in that country, The Boston Globe reported.

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## News Digest

### Space shuttle cost probe announced

Washington (UPI) — Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., announced Sunday his Appropriations Subcommittee will hold hearings Thursday on a \$100 million cost overrun in the space shuttle program.

The Wisconsin Democrat said the National Aeronautics and Space Administration had admitted the space shuttle will cost from 4 to 7 percent more than had been estimated.

### GNP expected to fall below estimate

New York (AP) — The Conference Board predicted Sunday that the real gross national product will go up only 4.2 percent in 1978 to reach a total of about \$1,391 trillion.

The estimated growth rate for 1977 was 4.8 percent.

### Veteran actor's condition critical

Chicago (AP) — Award-winning actor Cyril Ritchard, known to theatergoers as an accomplished actor-director and to children as Capt. Hook in "Peter Pan," remained in critical condition Sunday after collapsing with a heart attack during a performance here.

Ritchard fell ill as he waited offstage Friday during the final minutes of "Side by Side by Sondheim" at Drury Lane-Water Tower Place Theatre.

### U.S. delegation going to Panama

New York (UPI) — The National Committee on American Foreign Policy will send a delegation to Panama for talks with Panamanian and American officials concerning the new proposed canal treaty, the

organization announced Sunday.

The 22-member delegation is scheduled to be given briefings in Washington Monday by the National Security Council and the Joint Chiefs of Staff prior to its Tuesday departure from New York to Panama, the announcement said.

### Bed-side wedding suits best man

Barberton, Ohio (AP) — The best man couldn't get to the wedding, so the wedding went to the best man.

Mancel Sims was flat on his back Saturday — in traction at Barberton Citizens Hospital — because a back problem had flared up.

So instead of exchanging vows in the groom's apartment, as had been planned, James Mitchell, 21, and Fran Riffle, 19, were married at Sims' bedside.

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## Verdict in church bombing ends conspiracy of silence

As horrible as any of the horrible crimes which have punctuated the history of race relations in America was the bombing of the Sixteenth Street Baptist Church in Birmingham, Alabama.

On Sept. 15, 1963, dynamite exploded in the basement of that church, used as a center of civil rights activity, and four black girls were killed.

As often happened in the south, no one was brought to trial for murder in the immediate aftermath of the crime. One man, Robert Chambliss, a Ku Klux Klansman, was arrested and charged with possessing dynamite shortly after the bloody incident, but he was found innocent at his trial.

Fourteen years later, a jury of nine whites and three blacks has found Chambliss guilty of first degree murder in the death of one of the girls killed in the blast. Chambliss was accused of rigging the bomb. He has been sentenced to life imprisonment.

"Let's show the world that a murder case has been solved by the people of Alabama," said the state's Attorney General, William Baxley, who reopened the case when he took office in 1971 and

won FBI cooperation in prosecuting Chambliss.

The conviction on murder charges is, as observers were quick to point out, evidence of a change in the social climate of the south.

The conspiracy of silence which protected those who took part in violent attacks against blacks and white civil rights workers is disintegrating. Justice is more and more a concept which carries no color.

Satisfaction in the verdict is tempered by the length of time the crime was allowed to hang unresolved while justice was delayed. But there is immense satisfaction in seeing the change in climate that allows justice to be served. And there is even greater satisfaction in the knowledge that such atrocities as the church bombing seemed to be a thing of the past.

There is still a long road ahead in bettering race relations, but there are hopeful signs that the extreme violence is behind us. Actions such as the Chambliss verdict will make that more a certainty.

## The reassuring oracle retires

We recall seeing Eric Sevareid at a rules committee meeting preceding the Republican National Convention in Kansas City last year.

He was more than another newsman entering the room to do his job. The heroic visage and the reputation to match caused a stir, heads turned and for a moment Sevareid's entrance grabbed the spotlight from the Reagan forces and the Ford forces arguing over Rule 16. If other newsmen tell you they don't notice a Sevareid coming into the room, they are not telling you the truth.

People like Sevareid and Walter Cronkite and, for entirely different reasons, Barbara Walters and other media giants to whom celebrity attaches often make more news than the events they are covering — and that is not good.

But some get away with it better than others, and Sevareid is one of those. For over 35 years his work has been as celebrated as the fact that his looks and voice so fit the part that Central Casting couldn't come up with a better television

commentator to look and talk the part. Behind that monumental gray dome and deep, reassuring voice lurks a brain and a soul.

Sevareid has turned 65 and must retire from CBS news and isn't particularly happy about it.

His retirement has been duly noted among his colleagues and his absence from the nightly newscasts will be regretted by millions of viewers, even those who may thoughtlessly lump him in with all the other establishment journalists they regard as aiding the liberal conspiracy.

For Sevareid has been far more philosopher than ideologue; far more an expounder than advocate.

Further, in the nightly commentaries through which most Americans know him he has been more balanced than his critics will give him credit for, not strident, down to earth and more humane than most pundits of his time.

Sevareid is a giant of the trade and his craftsmanship and humanity on a daily basis will be missed.

## Ticky-tacky at \$300,000?

New York — Grandpa preached it, and he probably learned it from HIS grandfather: Never spend more than a quarter of your income to keep a roof over your head.

Well . . . lots of luck. These days that's about as old-fashioned as waiting for a marriage license before you set up housekeeping. Costs being what they are, you could, if you're unlucky enough, spend a quarter of your income on a new roof alone.

And what Gramps was talking about, most likely, was the price of a new home. Back when you could build one for less than \$5,000. But in 1977? No way. That just about covers your closing costs.

Last year, the typical new home cost \$44,200, twice what you could build one for only six years ago. This year it'll be more like \$50,000. And yet people are gobbling them up as fast as the developers can throw them together.

They aren't what you'd call mansions, either. (Those are inching up to million-dollar levels and they're going fast, too.) What constitutes a "typical" home is your average three-bedroom-two-bath layout, with maybe a fireplace, family room, double garage and a dinky yard. And walls so thin you've got instant togetherness whether you want it or not.

Next year they'll cost even more. And more the year after that. And you can't get around it by buying an older home. That market's just as hot.

And getting hotter by the mortgage. It's not uncommon for a house to be snapped up an hour after it comes on the market, usually by the first customer who sees it. Realtors say they've never seen anything like it, that older homes are outselling new ones three to one.

The fact that those prices are going up by eight to 10% doesn't seem to bother buyers a bit. There's plenty of mortgage money around.

Economists can't quite figure it out. By the old rule of thumb, today's costs should be pricing families out of the market, particularly middle-income ones and young families looking for their first homes.

And maybe they are, in specific instances. But there are so many others waving down-payments at salesmen, the unlucky ones are getting lost in the land rush.

How do they do it? Well, not by following Grandpa's old rule, that's for sure.

A lot of them are cashing in on inflation. If they already own a house (and 65% of

home-buyers do) it's usually worth a lot more than they paid for it. So they use that profit to help them swing a new house, even though it, too, costs more.

Not only that, incomes are inflated, too. So they can afford to give up a 6% mortgage for a 9% one, pay higher taxes and handle higher utility bills. Thereby proving that, for current home-owners, inflation is not all bad.

But where are the young couples getting the money? Nobody's really sure, but they're scraping it up from somewhere, since the median age of new home-buyers has dropped in the past 10 years from 38 to 33.

Some are hitting up parents for the loan of a downpayment, others use inherited money "and the rest probably get it by earning money and banking one."

A surprising number already own homes. This includes over half the married couples in their late 20s and three-fourths of those in their early 30s. This puts them in the catbird seat when they start looking, since they can use that equity to cover the skyrocketing price of a bigger house.

Still, economists are beginning to fret that maybe too many of them are committing an unusually high percentage of their income to housing. Comes the recession, how will they meet the payments?

It's the kind of situation that was bound to come to the attention of the government. There's a proposal in the Senate for a Young Families' Housing Act that would exempt savings toward a home from income taxes. Other congressmen talk about providing special mortgages for low-income couples.

This doesn't make the economists happy, either. They'd rather see the government slow down building costs instead of subsidizing buyers. They're afraid such subsidies would only increase demand, which would push costs up, which would swell inflation.

The market has reached such a peak that the neighbors around Nelson Rockefeller's old estate are holding protest meetings over the sale of his Washington home to a developer for \$5 million-plus.

This developer, they sniff, plans to put in a lot of \$300,000 "ticky-tacky" tract houses and there goes the neighborhood.

Grandpa would never believe it.

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## Question: Who is in charge here?

Washington — Arthur Burns, one of President Carter's advisers was saying the other day, "is really a politician, a very shrewd politician." Indeed he is, and because that is the case, there is little chance that Carter will not replace him as chairman of the Federal Reserve Board when his term ends Jan. 31 — and even less reason for not doing so.

Everyone in the White House insists, of course, that Carter has no such decision. There is even some talk about the "conditions" under which the 73-year-old Burns might be kept on at the Fed — presumably such stipulations as an agreement to recognize that the Democrats won the election last fall or perhaps just an agreement to shut up when he doesn't like what the new administration is doing. Fat chance.

But the fact that Carter has not yet made it plain that Burns is going to be tossed over the side is another classic example of the President's penchant for making things politically worse than they have to be. If there is one political imperative for Jimmy Carter these days, it is the necessity to remove any doubt in anyone's mind that he is totally in charge of economic policy and everything else. Instead, in the Burns case the President has turned the other cheek to the point that the business community, so often out of touch with political reality, has been nourishing the notion that he might be retained in the name of building "confidence" — whatever that means — among its leaders.

It is always easy to imagine impossible things happening when Arthur Burns is involved, of course. He is an extraordinarily forceful personality, and he has been around the centers of power in Washington for a long time. He is, as the White House man noted, a



politician who knows how to manipulate the news media and the other elements of influence in our politics. And heaven knows he is not reluctant to do so. But Arthur Burns has not been elected to anything by anyone, and that should not be forgotten.

At this stage, the problem with Burns is political rather than substantive. Although they have obvious differences — differences that Burns feels obliged to spell out in speeches — the President and the chairman of the Fed are not seriously at odds on what can prudently be done to influence the economy right now. But that is irrelevant to the issue

of whether Burns should be replaced.

At the most basic level, Burns must be replaced because other Democratic Party leaders, Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill most notably, insist that he must be replaced. "Tip doesn't have to tell us what he thinks," a White House political operative said. "That's already very clear."

The same is true of other Democrats who have been around Washington awhile. Whatever his views of the moment on monetary policy, whatever his value as a symbol to business leaders who fear expansionist policies and resulting inflation, Arthur Burns is a conservative who served in the Nixon

## Vietnam: What was it really like?

### On Target



By Don Walton

also the enemy and the long days without sleep grew into aching fatigue. Numbing body and mind and, perhaps, your last desperate hold on humanity.

It was a war in which you did not often see who killed you. Bullets slammed out of the jungle or mines jumped into your face and blew you away.

Walking became a dangerous act. And you shot at phantoms. Sometimes, they shot back.

Monsoon rains rotted your body, and

the mid-day heat could (and did) kill.

And when one of your buddies was killed, your motives of self-defense suddenly melted into burning hatred. You vowed vengeance, lusted for retribution and the thin line between enemy and bystander blurred into obscurity.

At those moments, there was often joy and triumph in killing.

And these were the emotions of average, normal, likeable, even gentle, young Americans — not confined to the ones predisposed to brutality from the very beginning.

That's what the Vietnam War was like, according to Philip Caputo.

That's what it did to the combat soldier.

And he returned from that horror older than his father and often unable to relate either to his peers or to any other civilian who had not experienced the same torment.

The body count we have seen is only partial. It lists only the dead and the physically wounded and the missing-in-action.

There were far more American casualties than that.

## Kissinger: American role 'facilitating'

### Tom Wicker

conference does seem so likely — Israeli sources say that was the context within which Sadat and Prime Minister Begin discussed peace negotiations — Kissinger may also be too insistent that the Soviet Union should be kept from participating in Middle East negotiations. This position is natural enough, since Kissinger himself more or less maneuvered the Soviets out of Middle East diplomacy.

But the Soviet Union is in fact co-chairman of the Geneva conference; if there's going to be a resumption of that conference, there's bound to be a re-entry of Soviet influence into Middle East negotiations. As Deputy Secretary of State Warren Christopher put it this week, whether "a constructive role or a troublesome role," Moscow unavoidably will have a part to play at Geneva.

That part might well be more troublesome if there is an obvious effort by Washington to isolate the Soviet Union from events in the Middle East.

channel it into one particular course.

Nevertheless, both the Israelis and the Egyptians, as well as Jordanian officials who saw the Sadat visit as a breakthrough towards peace, have expressed their hopes primarily in terms of a quick resumption of the Geneva peace conference. Even Syria and the Palestinians have not ruled out participation in such a conference. And if events continue to move in that direction, this too should be "facilitated" by the United States, despite Kissinger's flat view that Geneva should be a "ratification forum" for things already agreed upon rather than a place to negotiate a settlement.

The latter view hints at a touch of inflexibility on Kissinger's part; after all, his approach always was "step by step" with Geneva conceived as the climax of the process. But if the situation in the Middle East has been as thoroughly altered by the Sadat initiative as now seems likely, the basis for Kissinger's old policy may well have been changed as much as anything else.

Since a resumption of the Geneva

New York — Former Secretary of State Kissinger probably is right that the Carter administration, in the wake of President Sadat's visit to Jerusalem, should not tie itself too closely to its desire for a Geneva conference to negotiate an overall Middle East settlement.

Indeed, as evidence accumulates that Sadat's bold gesture has transformed the Middle East situation, Kissinger's basic advice seems sound — "Our role should be more facilitating than intrusive." The Carter administration, that is, should facilitate any promising movements toward a settlement that might develop, rather than intrude its desire for a Geneva conference on the parties directly involved.

Obviously, the weeks ahead should be a time of flexibility and innovation, now that the Egyptian president and his Israeli hosts have shattered the psychological ice jam in which the Middle East has for so long been frozen. Once the loudest Arab posturing in opposition to the Sadat visit has run its course, real progress should be possible and there's no reason to try to

Washington — According to President Jimmy Carter: "The lack of another SALT accord between the United States and the Soviet Union, limiting their strategic armaments, might not necessarily produce an economic depression but it would certainly produce a depression of the spirit — and ultimate disaster."

"If there is a continuation or a heightening of the arms race, there is an increasing chance that these weapons will eventually be used. A SALT II accord must spell out a fixed and more sensible balance. Thereafter, a SALT III accord would advance us toward the final goal of reducing nuclear weapons to zero."

It is an unusual aspect of the debate on strategic weapons both inside the U.S.A. and, from what we deduce, also inside the U.S.S.R., that each is bipartisan. In this country there are hardliners and moderates in both the Democratic and Republican Parties; there is good reason to suspect a similar split exists within the monolith Soviet political establishment.

Nevertheless, so far, to the evident satisfaction of the Nixon-Ford administrations and the hopeful satisfaction of the Carter administration, the

moderate faction (a relative description) appears to prevail here just as Brezhnev, to a known proponent of some form of arms limitation, has also managed to reinforce his personal power in Moscow.

Carter professes to be convinced that there is much more danger to the United States if a SALT II agreement is not formulated by this government and accepted by the Kremlin than if the existing interim accord lapses and both sides move into new and more dangerous weapons systems.

He says: "Under the interim accord the Soviet Union is given a heavy advantage in numbers of land-based strategic weapons. The United States' proposal now hopes to close this gap, to give us equality, to place new emphasis on assessing compliance with terms we agree upon, and gradually to reduce the actual number of weapons on each side. "If there are no new limitations fixed, Soviet production levels would be maintained and eventually increased. Our assessment is that, if there is no further SALT accord, that would give the Soviet Union a strategic advantage by 1985."

On the other hand the President judges that the international trend is

### C. L. Sulzberger

beginning to run in the right direction, toward a decelerating arms race. He says:

"Already there has been a substantial advance by agreement to renounce all nuclear tests, something the world has sought for 25 years. We are also progressing in related fields, like projects for prior notification of any flight tests, steps toward demilitarizing the Indian Ocean, the moves to prevent development of anti-satellite weapons, and the reduction of extensive civil defense measures, which have been underway in the Soviet Union."

"We also hope that other nations with nuclear armaments will join with the United States and the Soviet Union by agreeing atomic testing. The British are already moving in that direction. We await the day, later on, when the French and the Chinese also do so."

"Even now, however, Moscow has removed the condition in its negotiating posture that all nations should participate — as an absolute prior requirement to an agreement with us. At one time the Russians in-

sisted all nuclear nations must join in a comprehensive test ban is negotiated. That is no longer their view."

The quintessential difficulty in achieving a balance acceptable to both sides is, I feel, the tradition of mutual mistrust existing within each superpower, especially in their military establishments. This not only engenders deep suspicions of any new move initiated by either; it also encourages fears of falling into a long-range trap that does not at first appear as disadvantageous as it really is.

Moreover, certain tentative understandings that have already been agreed on in principle and which are regarded as negotiating triumphs that could gain acceptance by hardliners opposed to outlines of a new SALT accord, cannot be advertised here for fear of inciting Soviet equivalents to oppose them.

The consequence is thus to make the diplomatic task more difficult. Both the U.S. and the Soviet governments cannot easily boast of concessions gained from one another without ruffling each other's feathers while smoothing those of their own hawks.

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### Jack Germond Jules Witcover

White House as a cabinet-level counselor to the President and highly influential adviser before his appointment to the Fed. And that is all the political community needs to know.

Nor is it necessary to violate the much advertised independence of the Fed to replace Arthur Burns. What Carter seems to forget too often for other Democrats is that the Democrats did indeed win the election last year — and, whatever the margin, the country did indeed choose to change parties and policies. And in the long-run, Arthur Burns is not the kind of chairman of the Fed who is going to be supportive of Democratic economic goals.

Nor is it necessary for the administration to choose a chairman who will panic the business community. There are several obvious possibilities who would be, in varying degrees, acceptable to the Democratic Party and the business community — among them investment banker Robert V. Roosa, former Fed governor Andrew F. Brimmer and Paul A. Volcker, president of the New York Federal Reserve Bank.

Eventually Carter is likely to choose someone with that ability to reassure business and satisfy the political necessity. But the tentative way the President has moved on the Fed has made the decision more difficult politically than it might have been — and added fuel to the doubts about who is in charge here.

And that is something Jimmy Carter cannot afford.

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## OHA sees 'witch hunt' in area crime meeting

Omaha (UPI) — The Omaha Housing Authority's executive director theorizes the city Human Relations Board may have been attempting to start a "witch hunt" when it held a meeting concerning alleged crime at the South Side Terrace homes.

James Henry said the OHA wasn't notified of a special Human Relations Board meeting Tuesday during which some board members and South Side Terrace residents criticized the OHA and police for allowing increased crime in the area.

"I think it's kind of significant they didn't notify us of the meeting," Henry said. "I think the Human Relations Board is trying to start some kind of witch hunt."

Henry said Human Relations Board members "love to stir things up."

"When they haven't gotten any publicity for awhile they like to pull something like this," Henry said.

Henry and Police Chief Richard Andersen denied crime at the South Omaha facility was any worse than in any other area of the city.

Andersen said police records of OHA facilities showed crime at the South Side Terrace homes has declined in recent months.

Burglary detectives said only three burglaries at the South Side homes have been reported to police in recent months. The burglaries involved elderly victims.

Although he acknowledged "there's no secret there's crime down there," Henry said, "it's not as bad as some people would make it sound."

"In fact," Henry said, "things are better than they used to be."

Henry said OHA employees were investigating a complaint someone had a pass key and was using it to gain entry and burglarize the South Side homes. Henry said if necessary the locks would be changed.



Shooting victim (on stretcher) is wheeled to ambulance by two unidentified persons.

## Victims of incident at Club 89 listed

Omaha (AP) — Victims of Saturday night's shooting incident at the Club 89 were taken to four Omaha area hospitals by rescue squads from Millard, Omaha and Ralston as well as by private car, authorities said.

The casualty lists provided by the hospitals:

Dead:

Capt. Dennis Lipari, 39, pellet wound to the head.

The injured:

At Bergan-Mercy Hospital:

Patricia Allison, 27, multiple pellet wounds, serious condition.

Thomas Castro, 34, shotgun pellets to left side of head, treated and released.

Kay Christensen, 22, pellets to neck and side, treated and released.

Jack Gerye, 64, chest pain, admitted to post-coronary care unit, serious.

Dorene Grey, 16, wounds to face and right arm, critical.

Hilary Hoising, 54, Rt. 1, Hartington, wound to arm, serious.

Deborah Joos, 29, pellet wounds, serious.

Gloria Joos, 46, pellet wounds, fair.

Ruth Lipari, 34, multiple wounds, critical.

Chad Sexton, 7, pellet to lip, treated and released.

Norman Tooker, 49, pellet to top of head, treated and released.

Russell Tooker, 16, multiple wounds to face, neck and chest, serious.

Harold Zabel, 41, pellet to forehead, treated and released.

At Methodist Hospital:

Cynthia Adams, 22, treated and released.

Hamilton Geoffrey, 22, arm wound, fair.

Frank Kroll, 32, wounds to neck, face and scalp, good.

John L. Wilson, 37, good.

Roberta Wilson, 25, good.

Dave Wingert, 29, shoulder wound, good.

At Midlands Hospital, Papillion:

Laurie Joos, 25, treated and released.

Amy Sapp, 32, treated and released.

David Sapp, 13, treated and released.

The Rev. Raymond Sapp, 34, treated and released.

David Sirek, 24, from outstate Nebraska, treated and released.

At Immanuel Hospital:

Sally McMinn, pellet to forehead and scalp, treated and released.

All of the victims were from Omaha, unless otherwise noted.

## State Digest

### School merger proposed

Scribner — Voters will go to the polls here Tuesday, Dec. 20, to decide whether to merge seven school districts into one.

The proposed merger would combine the Class III Scribner school district with 6 Class I districts and a part of a seventh Class I district. If approved, the merger will be effective on or about Sept. 1, 1978.

### Chamber honors pair

Nebraska City — Morton Steinhart, 88-year-old longtime Nebraska City civic leader, was given the outstanding chamber recognition award at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet here.

Also honored at the banquet was Mrs. Marjorie Moyer who received the Ethel Gaskill Award for her civic contributions to Nebraska City.

### Stutz appointed

O'Neill — Joe Stutz, Holt County treasurer for the past nine years, has been named associate Holt County judge, succeeding Frank Cronk, who is resigning.

Stutz is resigning from the treasurer's post, effective Dec. 1.

### Grafton given award

Lexington — Dan Grafton received the Lexington Area Chamber of Commerce's Distinguished Service Award during the group's annual meeting.

Also honored during the banquet was David Hanna, Lexington area farmer-feeder, who was recipient of the Agri-Service Award. Joe Taft was cited for his service to the Lexington Diplomats, the Chamber of Commerce and to the community.

### McElravy gets post

Beatrice — Allen McElravy will assume his new duties Dec. 5 as administrator of Lutheran Hospital here.

Coming here from Lincoln 10 years ago, he is currently director of social services at the Beatrice State Development Center. While in Lincoln, he was coordinator of children's services for the Nebraska Department of Welfare.

### Honors due Visregg

Omaha (AP) — Creighton University Law School graduate James D. Visregg will receive the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's silver medal for superior services at ceremonies in Washington Dec. 16.

Visregg is an EPA attorney in Kansas City. His parents live in Grand Island.

## Robber sentenced to 3 to 9 years

Grand Island (UPI) — Hall County District Judge Donald Weaver has sentenced a Grand Island resident to three to nine years in prison on a robbery charge.

Vincent Klinkenfus, 20, earlier pleaded guilty to the count filed in the Sept. 4 robbery of Pizza Hut in Grand Island. Klinkenfus' alleged

accomplice, Jeffrey Benzel, 19, of Grand Island remains at large.

Authorities have refused to disclose the amount of money taken in the armed robbery.

Although Klinkenfus was charged with only one robbery count, law officers theorized his arrest cleared up several unsolved armed robberies in the Grand Island-Hastings area.

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## As Dow Jones Sags, Rare Plates Soar

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State FmHA chief is more used to pickup seat

By Dominick Costello  
Farm Editor

Leonard T. Hanks is gradually getting used to his spacious new office in the federal building in Lincoln where he heads the Farmers Home Administration.

"This is a very nice office chair but my bottom is a lot more used to a pickup seat," he said. Hanks spent nearly 40 years working in county FmHA offices and countless hours in a pickup on his way to or from some farm borrower's farm.

"I knew a good deal about farming but next to nothing about finance when I started. I had a lot of good bankers who taught me along the way," he said. "It was on-the-job training."

That training has convinced Hanks that farm produce prices are going to have to get better if farmers are to survive. "We can lend them money through a whole series of loan programs. We have a new one that can be used to transfer short-term credit to

long-term credit with a second lien on their land, but it is at best a temporary solution," he said.

"This new loan program hasn't been well publicized until I came in. We had 793 last year but this year we already have 1,200," he said.

Hanks has held meetings with bankers and sent them information sheets on the loan program. "We take the debt against the land on a second mortgage. We don't lend the farmer more money to expand and we don't compete with the banks as they still make operating loans under the program," he said.

"All we really do is give the farmer a chance to survive until prices get better. He can hang on a while longer but the real cure will have to come in the form of higher prices," he said. "Consumers will just have to pay more of the cost of growing food."

Hanks is administering another loan he is particularly pleased to be able to offer older Nebraskans. "It is a



Leonard T. Hanks learns on the job.

help," he said.

"These old folks built Nebraska, and made it what we have. They deserve good housing and reasonable rents," he said. "It might be only a duplex in some town or a whole group of homes in another location. Whatever the local needs are, we can meet them."

In the past the federal farm lending agency has maintained a fairly low profile because their staffs were over-worked and many programs on the books were under-funded. "I won't operate that way. I know it will mean more loan applications for my over-burdened staff and I am pretty sure I won't get the extra people I need, but these laws are on the books. The programs exist and we must try to get the programs to the people," he said.

Farmers Home Administration personnel are supposed to provide close supervision to borrowers to help them solve financial problems so they can repay the loans. "It gets pretty tough sometimes to repay a

Weekly Grain Report

By Dominick Costello  
Farm Editor

Grain prices failed to improve in spite of continued announcements of bits and dabs of grain being purchased by the U.S.S.R. One reason is that we are still well over 100 million bushels of grain below last year in the export market. Another reason is that nobody in the grain trade was surprised by the purchases.

Russia is required to buy six million tons of grain. Until they fulfill their long-term agreement and exceed the amount they must buy, there won't be much impact on the grain market. I predict they will buy a minimum of 10 million bushels of U.S. corn and wheat in the current marketing season and a maximum of 15 million. They probably will also buy some soybeans.

The longshoremen are also making noises again about not loading Russian ships. They say their wheat must be shipped on American ships. If farmers ever figure out a way to cut off the longshoremen's food supply, the longshoremen will be forced to eat all imported food.

The figure to watch each week is the ship loading and export inspection data. This tells you what the demand for grain is now. For long-range data you need to watch the ship-leasing reports from London. There is some indication that more ships are being booked so the reports of additional sales probably are true.

All the stories about China buying grain apparently stemmed from their hiring a single 30,000-ton ship to haul soybeans from the gulf of Mexico. That one ship was reported several times.

Farmers Union figures reflect parity of income

With all the talk about parity, you might be interested in knowing what the latest parity of income prices and how well the various segments of agriculture are doing in relation to each other.

Although some farmers are still making a little money, most are losing money. All are making considerably less than the farm strike goal of 100% parity.

The following is taken from the National Farmers Union newsletter:

Commodity	Parity	Oct. 15 Price	Oct. 15 Price
		Rec'd.	As % of Parity
Wheat, bu.	\$ 5.02	\$ 2.26	45%
Rice, cwt.	13.90	8.74	63%
Corn, bu.	3.45	1.61	47%
Oats, bu.	1.73	.98	57%
Barley, bu.	2.99	1.60	54%
Sorghum, cwt.	5.77	2.66	46%
Cotton, lb.	8360	5470	65%
Peanuts, lb.	286	209	73%
Soybeans, bu.	7.60	4.83	64%
Flaxseed, bu.	8.56	4.30	50%
Beef Cattle, cwt.	58.20	35.40	61%
Hogs, cwt.	55.30	39.90	72%
All Milk, cwt.	12.90	10.10	78%
Mfg. Milk, cwt.	10.93	8.92	81%
Eggs, doz.	.808	.473	59%
Wool, lb.	1.36	.737	54%

Source: USDA "Agricultural Prices" Report

Population density is one of the objections against federal regulations that demand that farm size be held down to 160 acres if that farm is supplied with irrigation water from a federally-funded project.

A lawsuit filed against the regulation says "there will be increases in human population with all the well known impacts of growth on the human environment which is composed of the



By Dominick Costello

**Spotlight On Agriculture**

He made a lot of money at farming. He was an early leader in crossbreeding cattle and in developing hybrid seed corn. Everyone who eats was helped by Garst in his lifetime.

The Kansas City Chemist notes that during 1909, 1910 and 1911 University of Wisconsin scientists dug up 34 soil samples and sealed them in air-tight glass containers.

Recently the containers were opened and the soil was subjected to a sensitive testing process called gas chromatography. The substances detected included the chemicals aldrin, dieldrin and heptachlor.

These are all well-known, widely-used insecticides, some of which have or are to be banned.

The hitch is that the insecticides were not invented or synthesized by man until 35 years after the soil samples were sealed into the bottles.

It makes most of the so-called residue tests conducted now very suspect.

Farm use of electricity has increased 135 percent but electric bills have nearly tripled since 1959, according to a survey by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

In 1951 the average farm electricity bill was \$12.56. Today it is \$48.10 a month per farm.

We are quite likely to have corn borer problems in our 1978 corn crop. University of Nebraska specialists learned that 90 percent of all corn plants are infested with larva. Some fields have an average of eight borers per plant, they said.

Crop payments well timed

Nebraska wheat farmers will receive a "Christmas bonus" of about \$77 million, or an average of \$712 per payee, as a portion of the \$1.2 billion in crop deficiency payments going to U.S. wheat producers in December.

Dr. Everett E. Peterson, University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension economist, said the payment checks to be issued through county ASCS offices beginning December 1 and continuing through December 15 "should have a substantial, beneficial impact on the rural economy in wheat-producing states."

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Surplus cattle will be sold through bids

Fourteen Angus cows from University of Nebraska-Lincoln herds will be sold through sealed bids on Dec. 22, according to Dr. Merlyn K. Nielsen, assistant animal science professor at UNL.

He said 10 of the cows are registered while four are commercial cows.

Seven of the 10 registered cows were pasture-bred last summer and are part of the University's herd at the Dalbey-Halleck Farm five miles south of Virginia, Neb., Nielsen said. The remaining seven females currently are being bred by artificial insemination, he said, and are being housed at the beef barn on UNL's East Campus.

Nielsen said the cattle being sold represent all ages, from yearling heifers to mature cows.

Poultry group slates meeting

The Nebraska Poultry and Egg Development, Utilization and Marketing Advisory Committee will meet Dec. 6, at 9 a.m. at the Columbus Holiday Inn.

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By Lois Anderson

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Like so many older people, Mrs. K. values her independence, and she manages marvelously, living alone in the little frame house that has been her home for nearly fifty years. She knows every nook and cranny by heart.

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Collector's items include ornaments from Audubon Society series, football, and 'Baby's First Christmas.'

## Special ornaments made for collecting

By Gerry Switzer  
Star Staff Writer

The name-dropping, personalization and memorabilia craze now is showing up on Christmas trees.

Ornaments to symbolize special events and individual family members, and dated by year are being produced by everyone from card companies to jar companies to fine china and silver manufacturers.

The family custom of buying an ornament that was just a little different to represent some event or special tradition in the family has apparently led to the production of the vast number and variety available.

Although not planned that way, the Christmas tree to most families has become one of the most cherished traditions of the holidays. Many of the decorations and trimmings serve as a chronological standard for recalling major happenings of a family's lifetime for generations.

There was the Santa which was on little brother's first tree, the fragile teddy bear with only one leg which has been hung on the family tree for more than 60 years, the little blue bell which became special after it was left by mistake one year in the ornament box.

And there were the plastic candy canes — one blue, one yellow, one red and one green — for each of the four family members who hung his or her cane with a secret wish.

But now there are ornaments made of the traditional fragile glass, brass and other metal ornaments, plastics, acrylics, silver and fine china pieces which are

dated or bear the inscription of an event or the name of a family member.

There are ornaments for "Baby's First Christmas," ornaments for "Our First Christmas Together," decorations for "Dad," "Mom," "Grandma," and "Grandpa," and others personalized with an engraved name as well as the year.

The National Audubon Society also has come out with a dated series of ornaments to adorn the Christmas tree with birds.

And for football fans, there's just the thing — an ornament which resembles the real pigskin, certain to be a symbol in years to come of the many holiday dinners Mother tried to wedge in between TV football games.

According to George Parker, vice president and director of creative services at Hallmark Cards which produces many memorable event ornaments, "hanging an ornament is touching a memory."

He said for most family members the hours spent decorating the tree are among "the most beautiful hours of the Christmas season."

He said the card firm, which dated only one ornament in 1973, has been pressed to keep up with the demand for those inscribed with the year's date and this year Hallmark has produced 26 different styles and types of ornaments bearing the "1977" date.

First appearing in stores last year were the "Christmas Carol" acrylic ornaments put out by the Ball Corp., a firm best known for its canning supplies. The transparent ornaments with various designs depicting well-known carols also featured at least one design with the year as part of the pattern.

And this year, a leading gift catalog marketer, the Lillian Vernon Corp., is featuring twinkling tree ornaments of solid brass in dozens of holiday designs with some dated and personalized creations as part of the collection.

Further personalization can be added to the brass and silver ornaments by engraving names or expressions on the ornament.

Silver ornaments are becoming more popular with more and more silver companies getting into the game each year.

Two companies came out with silver bells several years ago with the year engraved on the side. Now silver firms are creating different ornaments each year — all part of collector's series.

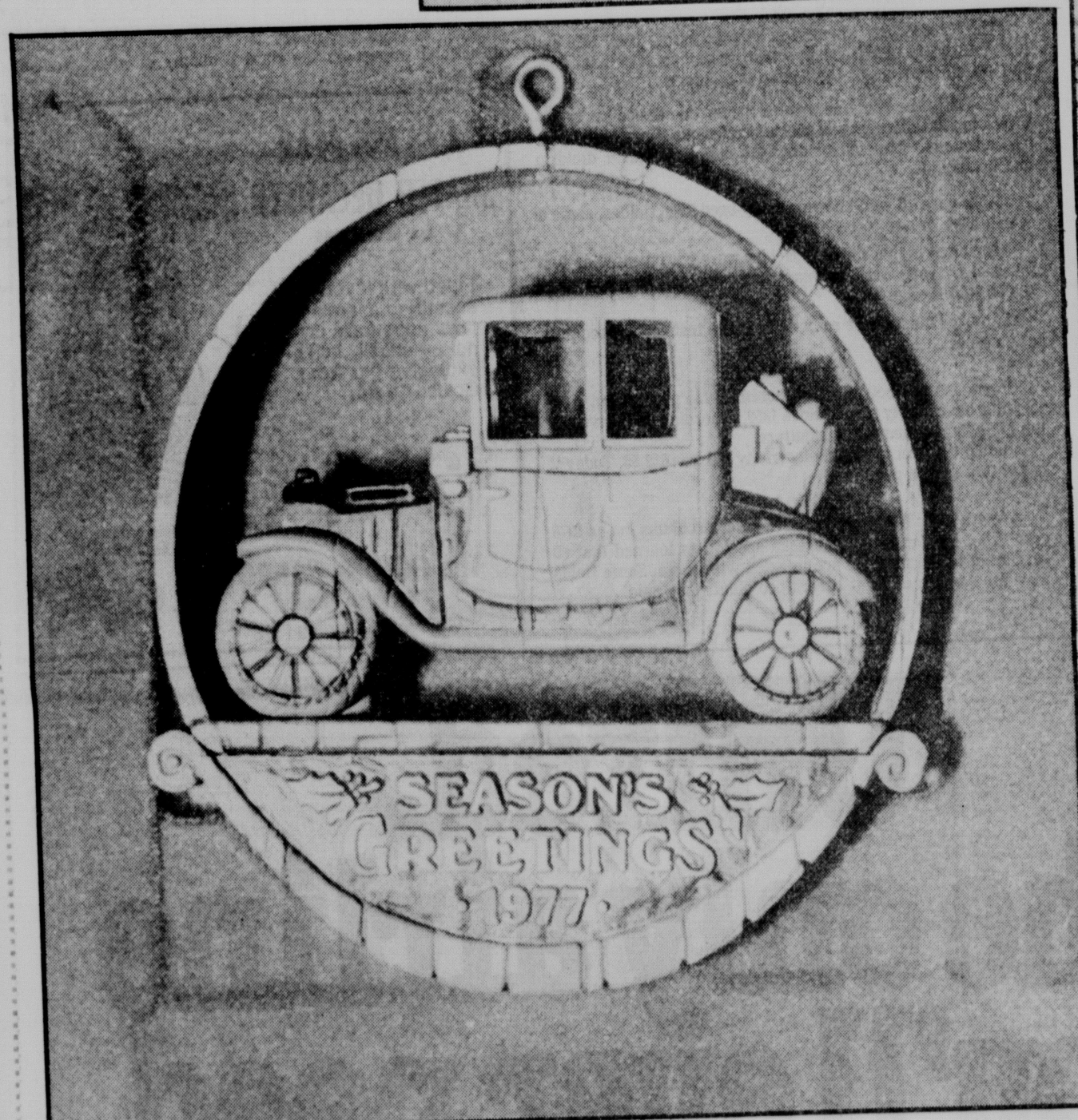
And along with the silver companies, china and crystal manufacturers are branching into collector's ornaments. Many have come out with bells dated for the holidays.

For example, Waterford has a lead crystal bell — similar to the one the company featured for the Bicentennial — which is for Christmas "1977."

And Fostoria Glass this year has put out a first edition crystal bell with an etched scene and date.

Many store buyers feel some of these new collector's items will become as popular as the famous Copenhagen Christmas plates which were probably one of the first Christmas collector series.

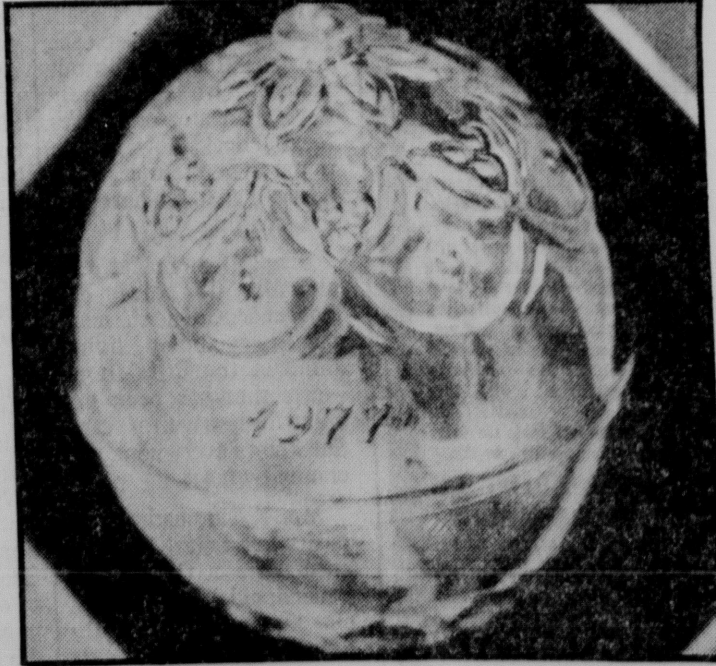
But other china companies also are producing dated collector plates now, with the Royal Doulton's 1977 first edition, beautifully gift-boxed plate promising competition for the blue plates of Denmark.



Old car, richly detailed, is dated for gift giving.



Cherished ornaments used in tree trimming.



Other special dated ornaments include acrylic and silver pieces.



# Spend less with food buying system

By Gerry Switzer  
Star Staff Writer

A food-buying system is the only answer to consistently spending less at the supermarket. One shopper can buy essentially the same foods as another shopper at the supermarket and pay 10 to 15 percent less, according to a Cornell University publication, "Be a Better Shopper — Buying in Supermarkets."

Prof. Heinz B. Beisdorf, a consumer economist at Cornell who wrote the article, says by knowing and practicing a few money-saving tricks, consumers can save money.

And consistent savings of 10 to 15 percent can be realized only by sticking to a food-buying system, he says, noting that an average family of four can save more than \$400 annually on their food costs by using such a system.

Prof. Beisdorf says to save this amount, the food shopper needs some "start-up" money, some extra time and some extra storage space.

Although many people don't have extra money, this doesn't need to be a problem, according to Dr. Beisdorf.

"If you put off buying some non-essential items such as shoe polish or window cleaner for another week, you can use the money that would have been spent on these items as 'start-up' money, to buy in quantity the essential food items that are on special this week," he says.

For example, if you purchase four cans of tomato juice at the special price of two for 99 cents, instead of the regular price of 65 cents each, you have a savings of 62 cents.

If you also buy three pounds of spaghetti for 78 cents instead of the regular \$1.33, you save an additional 55 cents and if you take advantage of the special on a non-food item such as the larger, seven-ounce tube of toothpaste at 69 cents instead of 95 cents, you've saved another 26 cents, bringing your total savings to \$1.43.

According to Dr. Beisdorf, this savings is not only "money in your pocket, but next week you'll have a shorter shopping list because you've bought some items in quantity the week before."

And since a shorter shopping list means that you spend less money than you normally

would, you'll have additional "start-up" money and can take advantage of even more savings.

Anyone who is serious about saving the 10 to 15 percent on groceries claimed by Dr. Beisdorf must do more than stockpile the goods bought at comparatively low prices. The serious food shopper begins comparison shopping even before going to the supermarket. The wise food shopper studies and compares ads of various stores.

Most stores offer weekly special prices on selected products. Although only a small number of items in a given store's stock are likely to be on special at one time, the savings that can be realized by buying these specials are large.

Some supermarket specials are offered near wholesale price to keep regular customers and to attract new ones and competing stores usually offer specials on different items.

"Be a Better Shopper" gives the following procedure for saving dollars at the supermarket:

— Read newspaper ads of various stores and circle specials with red crayon or felt-tip marker.

— Plan to shop at least two competing stores.

— Plan menus around meat, poultry, fish and other specials offered by these two stores.

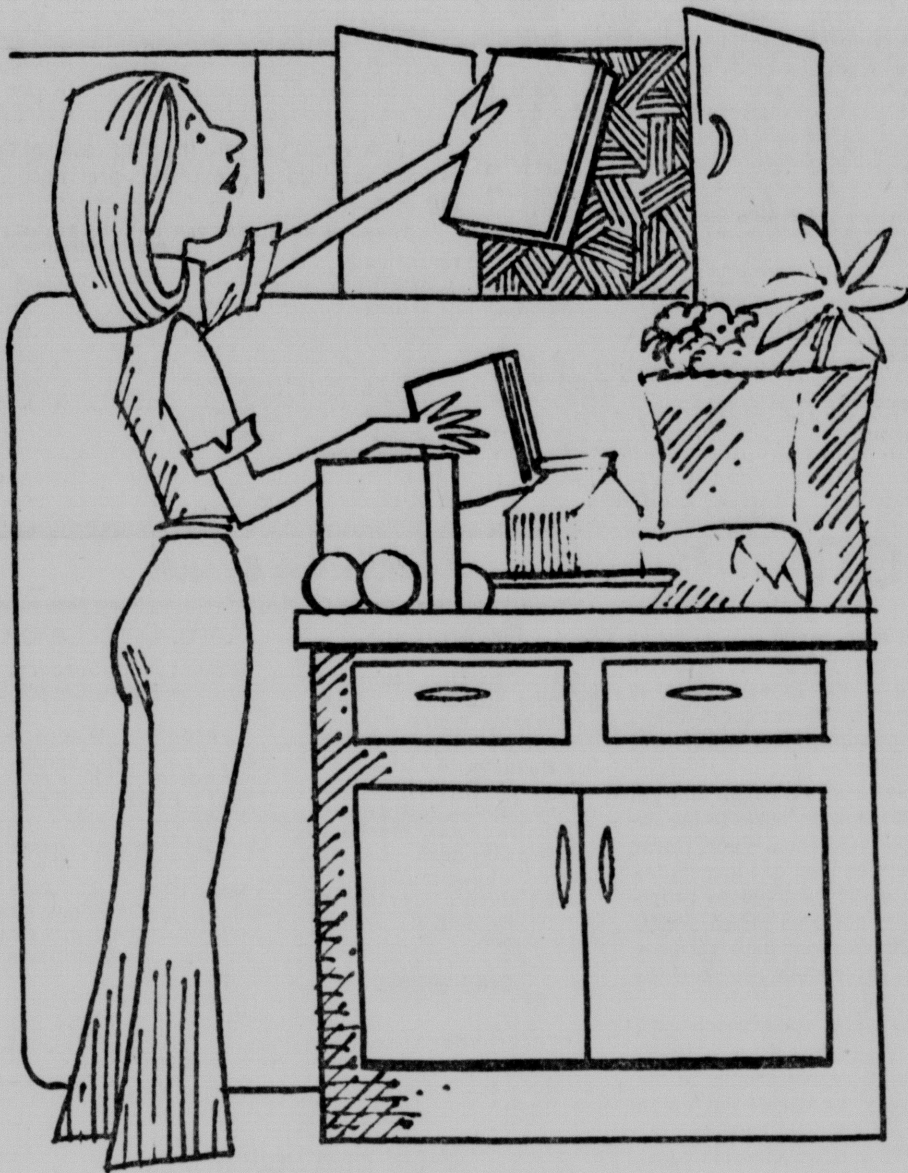
— Before leaving home, make a list of other items needed.

— Keep records of food purchases to help recognize specials and distinguish them from regular-priced advertised products.

And what if the advertised specials are not available when you go to the supermarket?

This is a Federal Trade Commission (FTC) rule which states that it is unfair or deceptive for a store to offer a product at a stated price when it does not have enough of the product to meet a reasonable anticipated demand during the effective period of the advertisement.

However, there are a few exceptions to the rule. The store is not in violation of the law if ordered shipments fail to arrive and if customer demand was so high that the products sold out early in the sale.



## Oranges plentiful

Van Nuys, Calif. (UPI) — California and Arizona navel oranges are in plentiful supply for the winter holidays, says Gordon Henderson, marketing vice president for a growers' cooperative here. Henderson said western growers also are shipping lemons, grapefruit, tangerines and limes for the same season.

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♣ A Q J 10

**WEST**  
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♥ 6 5  
♦ Q 8 3  
♣ K 9 6 5

**EAST**  
♦ A 9 3 2  
♥ 9  
♦ J 10 5 4  
♣ 8 7 3 2

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♥ K Q 10 8 7 3 2  
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A hand reported by the distinguished French expert, Jose Le Dentu, in the British

Bridge World Magazine, has exceptional dramatic interest. Le Dentu weaves a fascinating tale where he has three world-renowned players each arriving at six hearts (!) on the deal shown. He then describes how each of them approached the play from an entirely different perspective — all three surprisingly bringing the hand to a successful conclusion.

The first declarer in this imaginary deal is Terence Reese, noted British expert. After elevating himself to a slam where a spade lead and

spade return would quickly extinguish all chances of making the contract, Reese wins the trump lead in dummy and plays the A-Q of clubs, on which he discards the nine of diamonds!

The purpose of the extraordinary diamond discard is to try to persuade West, if he has the king of clubs, that declarer is weak in diamonds and is trying to dispose of his diamonds on dummy's clubs by leading the club queen through East's presumed king.

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"Ribbit," moaned the toad as the tears trickled down his fat green cheeks. "Oh, no!", cried the princess, and she kissed him quickly to turn him back into her prince. No such luck!

"Oh, well," smiled the princess. "A toad in the road is worth two princes in the bush. Will you marry me anyway, now that I've got these neat-o wedding slippers from

Craigs? "Ribbit! Ribbit!", replied the toad, enthusiastically. And together they disappeared into the forest and lived very hop-ily ever after.

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# Americans questioning Carter's competence and ability

By Louis Harris

Although Americans continue to have a high regard for President Carter as a man of very integrity and character, worries about his lack of experience, his basic competence and his ability to follow through on the programs he proposes appear to be mounting sharply.

The latest Harris Survey, conducted among a national cross-section of 1,498 adults earlier this month, yields these striking negative results about the president:

— By 77-15 percent, a sizable majority feels that "in some of the mistakes he has made, his lack of experience is clear to see," up from a 63-25 percent majority who felt the same way in July.

— By 66-24 percent, Americans hold the view that "what he says he stands for sometimes seems to be different from what he actually does," up from a 52-35 percent majority who shared the same view back in July.

— By 59-27 percent, a majority now believes that the president "comes up with too many new programs, but doesn't seem to know how to follow through very effectively."

— By 57-32 percent, a majority also believes that "although he is well-intentioned, at times you begin to wonder if he has the basic competence to do the job."

— By 47-36 percent, a plurality feels that "at times, he acts as if he is still running for office against Washington, D.C., whereas he now is the top man running things there," a turnaround from a

43-41 percent plurality who denied that criticism in July.

— A narrow 44-40 percent plurality does not go along with the charge that Carter "seems to be mostly style but not really much substance," but this is much closer than the decisive 57-29 percent majority who denied the claim four months ago.

Of course, these essentially negative views about Carter should not obscure the fact that the public still sees many appealing qualities in the president:

— A solid 83-8 percent majority believes he is "a man of high integrity," almost identical with the 83-9 percent figure of July.

— By 71-15 percent, a majority also believes that "he feels deeply about less privileged people and is genuinely trying to help them as president," down only marginally from July's 74-16 percent.

— By 66-21 percent, a majority holds the view that Jimmy Carter "is bringing a new moral tone to the government."

— A large 87-7 percent majority also feels that "with all the problems he has, he is trying his best to do a good job."

But, significantly, on three other positive attributes tested, Carter has slipped precipitously:

— A 44-43 percent plurality now denies that "he has learned fast on the job and seems to be on top of everything." Back in July, a solid 64-27 percent majority agreed with this statement.

— By only a 48-37 percent margin, Americans

feel that "He has a style that is rapidly rebuilding confidence in the White House and government." Only four months ago, an emphatic 67-21 percent majority felt that Carter was on the way toward restoring the shattered public confidence in government.

— By 49-35 percent, a plurality now holds the view that "he is proving to be the kind of new, fresh face we have needed in the White House." This is down from the 67-22 percent majority who felt that way about Carter at the beginning of the summer.

These results clearly indicate that the president's standing with Americans has gone down. To be sure, he can still rely on a deep reservoir of public faith in his personal integrity and political morality. But serious doubts have now risen about the president's ability to cope with the hard business of government.

There has been much confusion recently about certain discrepancies in the overall ratings of Carter as reported in various public opinion surveys. The findings of this latest poll should leave no doubts as to where the Harris Survey stands. The president's rating is now 52-46 percent negative, down from 50-48 percent negative a month ago, and sharply down from his 59-37 percent positive standing back in July.

Moreover, this latest Harris Survey documents

just where the president has slipped. It is clear that the initial faith in Jimmy Carter's ability to govern has been shaken, and he will need a string of solid performances to reverse his downward slide.

Between Nov. 7 and 14, the Harris Survey asked the cross section:

"Let me read you some statements made about President Carter. For each statement, tell me if you tend to agree or disagree."

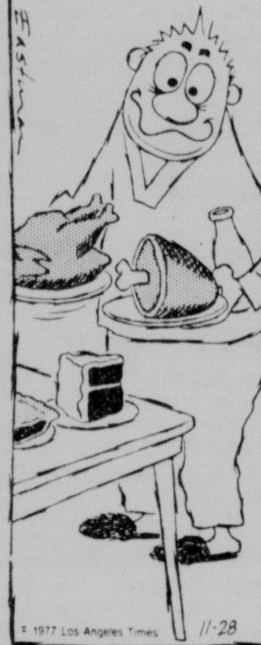
STATEMENTS ABOUT PRESIDENT CARTER			
	Agree	Disagree	Not Sure
POSITIVE			
With all the problems he has, he is trying his best to do a good job.	87	7	6
He is a man of integrity.	83	8	9
He feels deeply about less privileged people and is genuinely trying to help them as president.	71	15	14
He is bringing a new moral tone to the government.	66	21	13
He is proving to be the kind of new, fresh face we have needed in the White House.	49	35	16
He has a style that is rapidly rebuilding confidence in the White House and government.	48	37	15
He has learned fast on the job and seems to be on top of everything.	43	44	13
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NEGATIVE			
	Agree	Disagree	Not Sure
In some of the mistakes he has made, his lack of experience is clear to see.	77	15	8
What he says he stands for sometimes seems to be different from what he actually does.	66	24	10
He comes up with too many new programs, but doesn't seem to know how to follow through very effectively.	59	27	14
Although he is well-intentioned, at times you begin to wonder if he has the basic competence to do the job.	57	32	11
At times, he acts as if he is still running for office against Washington, D.C., whereas he is now the top man running things there.	47	36	17
He seems to be mostly style but not really much substance.	40	44	16
He is too wishy-washy.	33	54	13
xxNot asked in July.	xx	xx	xx
"How would you rate the job President Carter is doing as president — excellent, pretty good, only fair or poor?"			
Excellent	46	52	2
Pretty good	48	50	2
Only fair	48	48	4
Poor	52	44	4
July	59	37	4
August	61	34	5
September	65	32	3
October	69	27	4
November	67	21	12
Trend on President Carter's Job Ratings			
Positive	Positive	Negative	Not Sure
July	59	37	4
August	61	34	5
September	65	32	3
October	69	27	4
November	67	21	12
good. Negative — Only fair and poor.			
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## Some ex-wives getting part of pension

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WHY COUNT SHEEP WHEN YOU CAN COUNT CALORIES?



New York — In divorce court, lawyers are going after — and winning — a piece of the husband's pension for his ex-wife. Some judges order payments to the wife when the husband retires; others have demanded an immediate cash distribution from the pension trust.

Either way, it's a new potential source of income for wives suing for support. And, according to Business Week magazine, it's an awful headache for companies and pension trusts which find themselves named as parties to divorce actions.

Traditionally, there have been legal and practical barriers to dividing pension funds between husband and wife. But judges in a number of states are accepting new arguments, in order to tap this source of money.

"Practically speaking, there aren't a lot of assets in most divorces," says Henry Allen Pattiz, a Beverly Hills tax attorney who lectures widely on employee benefits and pension plans. "Pension funds represent money the couple has been forced to save rather than spend, or money that was saved for them and kept out of their reach. Judges are now deciding that it just isn't fair to let one partner in the marriage walk away with what may be the only pool of cash."

The division of pension funds began in California — a community property state where the assets of the marriage are jointly owned by husband and wife. In effect, the wife goes after the funds as co-owner. Similar claims have been made in the other community property states — Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, Nevada, Washington, Idaho and Louisiana. The trend has spread to other states as well.

### It's Your Money



By Jane Bryant Quinn

There, the pension is considered another of the husband's assets, to be divided in divorce or tapped for spousal support.

In only eight states does the law now prohibit a divorcing spouse from going after the pension, says Pattiz. (They're New York, Florida, Mississippi, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Virginia and West Virginia.) But a bill has been introduced in New York to repeal the prohibition. This may happen in the other holdout states as well.

Judges are not uniform in their decisions on this matter. Even within the same state, different jurisdictions are ruling differently as to whether the spouse does indeed share in the ownership of the pension, or whether its funds can be dispersed. What has emerged is a hodgepodge of conflicting cases, in which litigants on both sides can find points favorable to their point of view.

In the 1976 pension reform law, Congress thought

it had insulated pensions from community property law. But many judges have swept the apparent protection aside. A sign of the times is that, in California, a divorce lawyer can be sued for malpractice if he fails to go after pension money in a divorce action.

The problems faced by businesses when they get a court order to distribute pension funds to the ex-spouse are enormous, reports Business Week. Under federal law, the entire pension plan can lose its tax shelter if any money is distributed before retirement. So far this issue has not been joined. Pattiz believes that no actual distributions have yet been made, and in any case, the government is looking the other way.

Companies and unions also face tremendous legal and bookkeeping costs if they have to divide pension accounts and send a representative to the divorce hearings of every employee or union member. Banks that are pension-fund trustees may also get involved. Lawyers handling pension cases predict that there will soon be a lawsuit challenging the court's right to distribute pension money to an ex-spouse.

In Pattiz's view, the best solution is a federal law establishing uniform rules on pension divisions for all the states. When the law on Individual Retirement Accounts was written, provision was made for dividing the money in case of divorce, without incurring penalties. The same could be done for Keogh and employer-funded plans.

Until then, every lawyer and divorce client is on his own.

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## Neighbors framed in dramatic scenes

San Francisco — Christmas lights are beginning to appear on our house tops at Sinking Inn. Darkness falls earlier. Icy pin points of stars in a cold sky.

Across the dark courtyard, framed in a golden lighted window, Neighbor Glodgett is stirring up the first martini of the evening.

His wife turns from the stove. What is she saying?

"So, Blodgett! At the gin already, eh?"

Condominium people live in a world in which we must fill in the dialogue. Apartment house people close their doors. Don't see the living picture. (Except for an occasional crash of crockery through the walls.)

In condominium houses, our neighbors are framed in dramatic scenes. In different picture windows. We know who drinks in front of the TV. Who gins it up in the kitchen.

Who makes casseroles. And who heats up TV dinners.

Mary Hartman, Mary Hartman is across the courtyard. (As close as my 8-power binoculars will focus.)

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"Jingle bells, jingle bells." Love thy neighbor. Condominium people, side by side, don't know our neighbors.

Hong Kong Chinese pack themselves into top-to-bottom housing and know everybody.

A Hong Kong friend said: "The Chinese

are happiest when there's a lot of people and a lot of noise. You'll never find a quiet Chinese restaurant."

That's true. Maybe quiet in a tourist restaurant. But downtown Honolulu in Wo Fat's! You can hear that a block away

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I don't know any of my neighbors. A year and a half at Sinking Inn. I know two families well enough to say "Good morning."

(I know Blodgett makes his martinis in a flower pot. With Plymouth gin. These are awfully good binoculars. Bought them in Hong Kong, by the way. Near Jimmy's Kitchen which can get pretty noisy, too.)

Not even sure his name is Blodgett. He LOOKS like a Blodgett. And that's how he appears in my script.

"Blodgett! That's your third martini!" (That's Mrs. B. She had her hair done today. At least it's still in curlers.)

### Postcard



By Stan Delaplane

Blodgett: "So what? The ice melts so fast you can't taste the gin." (He crosses right center to the sink. Seizes the gin bottle. Pours a straight bullet into the vase. No ice. No vermouth. Gulp!)

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When I owned a house — (me and the banker) — I knew everybody on the block. We called to each other over back fences: "Can't seem to get rid of the snails. I've tried everything."

We had a beer together over the rose bushes. We cut up touches on football scores. Our children shared their cats.

Maybe it was because we had open space between us.

Condominiums are packed in. If I called out the window, "Hi, neighbor!" somebody would probably phone the police.

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Scene II: "Another one before dinner, Blodgett? You'll be a wreck in the morning! The pork chops are nearly done."

Blodgett has shed his tie. The Errol Flynn look. Debonair. No doubt if I put my head out the window and yelled, "Hi, Blodgett," he would "Hi" me back.

I made myself a martini. I said: "Hi, dog." The dachshund wagged her tail. That's something.

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## Paralysis seen in vocal cords

Philadelphia, Pa. (UPI) — Paralysis or partial paralysis of the vocal cords in children is not as rare as medical literature suggests, according to three physicians.

Their findings are based on a study of 21 children who were examined radiographically and fluoroscopically during a four-year period.

Drs. Jonathan L. Williams and Marie A. Capitano, radiologists, along with Dr. Myles G. Turtz, otolaryngologist, all of Christopher's Hospital for Children, observe that paralysis of the vocal cord can cause obstructions of the upper airway, a circumstance seldom considered in the past.

Also, the physicians say that spontaneous vocal cord paralysis in the child may, in some instances, be life threatening. But according to the specialists, the X-ray signs that lead to a diagnosis which will aid in the early institution of appropriate supportive therapy.



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# Study blames sedatives for 5,000 dead yearly

Washington (UPI) — A federal study estimates sleeping pills are associated with nearly 5,000 deaths a year in the United States, the director of the National Institute on Drug Abuse said Sunday.

Releasing the study, Dr. Robert DuPont also said users of barbiturates — or “sleeping pills” — make about 25,000 trips to hospital emergency wards each year, and about the same number enter drug abuse treatment annually.

The study of nighttime sleeping pills and daytime sedatives, or “tranquilizers,” was ordered by President Carter, who told the agency to determine “how we can best control the abuse of barbiturates and other prescription drugs which cause many deaths, while not interfering with their legitimate medical use.”

In an interview, DuPont said the resultant study “confirmed our understanding that barbiturates, or sleeping pills, pose a unique and serious problem in terms of both death and ... abuse.”

He said researchers estimated nearly 5,000 deaths occur each year that are either directly related to barbiturates or in which barbiturates were involved.

Having sleeping pills in the family medicine cabinet, he said, “is like having a loaded gun in the house.”

The study said sleeping pills and tranquilizers, combined, are still the most commonly prescribed medicines in the world.

Americans alone got about 27 million sleeping pill prescriptions — an estimated 1 billion doses — in 1976.

“What came as a major surprise to me in the study was the realization that these drugs are not only dangerous but that they are probably not effective in terms of treating the insomnia,” DuPont said.

He said prescription sleeping pills are “often remarkably effective when taken for one or two nights.”

But the study, he said, said most such pills appear to be ineffective beyond two weeks’ consecutive use and, after that point, can create disorders that themselves cause insomnia.

DuPont said he has asked the Food and Drug Administration to consider requiring manufacturers of these drugs either to demonstrate they are effective with repeated use or to label them accordingly.

Other moves under consideration, he said, include a prospective national education campaign, aimed at doctors and consumers, on the potential dangers and limitations of barbiturates.

“Many patients and doctors are too quick to turn to a pill to deal with the problem of temporary insomnia and frequently ignore the fact that it is a common symptom of depression and anxiety,” he said.

He urged doctors to prescribe “the safest medication, and that is certainly not a barbiturate or the most commonly prescribed non-barbiturate sleeping pills such as Doriden, Noludar, Placidyl or Methaqualone.

“In fact, the safest and probably the most effective sleeping medications appear to be the benzodiazepine drugs such as Dalmane and Valium,” DuPont said.

# Teen gang plotted slaying to boast of their ‘courage’

Miami (AP) — Members of a teen-age gang plotted the slaying of a Hialeah postal worker and then strangled and beat him to death, dumped his body in a canal and used his car for joy-riding to prove they had the courage to kill, police said Sunday.

A 16-year-old has been charged with first-degree murder and a 17-year-old with being an accessory to the killing of John Henry Sime, 37, whose body was found in the canal on Friday, officers said.

They said an unspecified number of other gang members, 14 to 18 years old, were being sought in connection with the killing.

The teen-agers, all from the same middle-class neighborhood, were not identified because of their ages.

“These children certainly thought out what they were going to do and didn’t hesitate,” said homicide Detective David Simmons.

“On prior occasions, some of these juveniles and their friends boasted about having enough courage to kill someone.

“The way they did it was quite brutal.”

A teen-ager who was not involved heard sketchy accounts of the slaying and called the police, leading to the arrests in the case.

The victim was the brother of Hialeah police officer Glenn Sime, but officers said they did not know if the teen-agers knew that.

They gave this account of the killing:

The teen-ager who knew the victim lured him to the gang member’s home while his family was away. Other gang members were waiting at the home, planning to rob Sime.

But Sime had no cash with him and began to scuffle with one of the teen-agers after his wallet was taken away. Several other gang members then went to their friend’s aid, beating Simes in the head, chest and ribs and then strangling him.

The gang tied up the body with electrical cord, put it in the rear of a pickup truck and drove three miles to a remote canal. Sime’s body was thrown into the canal, and old tires and crates were hurled in afterwards to cover up the body.

The teen-agers then returned to the scene of the killing and took Sime’s car, which they used to attend parties and socialize with friends in the neighborhood. On a joy-riding outing, they smashed the car into trees and abandoned it during heavy rain Thanksgiving Day.

The car was later found and traced to Sime, who had been reported missing by his brother. On Friday, an elderly man dumping trash near the canal discovered the body and called police.



Face of Cher just barely there

Swaddled under a coat and hood of fur, singer Cher is barely recognizable at London’s Heathrow Airport Sunday. Cher is seen with her 8-year-old daughter, Chastity, from her marriage to Sonny Bono and her 18-month-old son, Elijah Blue, from her present marriage to rock singer Gregg Allman. The couple has been in London on a short singing tour and was leaving for Germany.

# Acreage irrigation limit law endorsed

Walthill (UPI) — The Center for Rural Affairs has endorsed vigorous enforcement of a federal law that limits the amount of land a landowner may irrigate with water supplied by federal reclamation projects.

In an eight-page letter to the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation, the center said the purpose of the acreage limitation is to control the distribution of benefits from public water projects, to prevent land speculation and to promote opportunities for people to farm.

The proposed rules implement a 1902 law that limits each landowner to irrigating no more than 160 acres with federal water, or 320 acres for a husband and wife.

In addition, each farm child could “own” 160 acres irrigated by federal project water as well.

The rules require that landowners with more than the allowed acreage under irrigation sell the excess land. Only people who live on or within 50 miles of the excess land may purchase it.

The center said the Bureau of Reclamation figures show that less than 2 percent of the 460,000 acres irrigated by federal projects in Nebraska would be affected by the proposed rules and that these excess acres are widely scattered among bureau projects and 88 landowners.

However, the center warned that the proposed rules could have major impact on proposed projects in Nebraska, especially the Norden Dam, which will serve a major portion of Holt County where the center said absentee and nonfamily farm corporations have made investments.

The center said its studies show that corporate and absentee investors own nearly 13,000 acres that would be served by the Norden unit.

Of that 13,000 acres, 8,960 acres would be excess, more than all of the illegally excess land in all other reclamation projects, the center’s letter said.

# Senior citizens said abused by eyeglass sellers

New York (UPI) — Rep. Mario Biaggi, D-N.Y., Sunday charged that many senior citizens have been victims of consumer abuse in the purchase of eyeglasses.

“Unfair, deceptive and anti-competitive practices by segments in the billion-dollar retail eyeglass industry have resulted in consumers being overcharged by \$400 million a year,” said Biaggi, who will chair a joint congressional hearing Monday in New York City on the eyeglass industry.

“With 92 percent of persons over 65 requiring eyeglasses, they are more susceptible to exploitation in their purchases,” Biaggi said.

# Frame buildings banned in Sophia

Sophia, W. Va. (UPI) — The hometown of Senate Majority Leader Robert C. Byrd, D-W.Va., burned down so often that the City Council finally has passed an ordinance saying no frame buildings could be constructed in the Raleigh County town of 1,200.

Fires swept the coal mining town in 1913, 1922, and 1925.

Byrd, who is from Sophia, used to work as a butcher in the town.

# Chesnut funeral scheduled in Iowa

Services will be at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday in Burlington, Iowa, for Donald L. Chesnut, of 2600 No. 2nd St., who died Saturday in a traffic accident near Red Oak, Iowa.

Chesnut, 39, was the Lincoln YMCA aquatics director and the city’s Northeast Branch YMCA program executive.

Chesnut was killed when the vehicle he was driving collided with a trailer which had come unhooked from its semi-tractor. Montgomery County, Iowa authorities said he was driving west on U.S. 34, about one-quarter mile west of Red Oak, when the accident occurred.

Chesnut is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Chesnut of Burlington, Iowa.

## Movie Times

Times submitted by Theaters	
Cinema 1: “Oh God!” (PG) 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30	10:15
Cinema 2: “Another Man, Another Chance” (PG) 2:10, 4:35, 7:20, 9:20	Joy: “The Deep” (PG) 2, 7:20
Cinema X: “House of Kinky Pleasure” (X) 24 hrs.; “Pleasure Motel” (X) 24 hrs.	Plaza 1: “Bobby Deerfield” (PG) 2:30, 4:45, 7:15, 9:15
Cooper: “The Rescuers” (G) 12:30, 4, 7:30, “No Deposit, No Return” (G) 2, 5:30, 9	Plaza 2: “Bobby Deerfield” (PG) 3, 5:15, 7:30, 9:45
Midnight movie: “Silent Running” (PG) 12 a.m.	Plaza 3: “A Piece of the Action” (PG) 2:15, 7:15; “True Grit” (PG) 4:45, 9:45
Douglas 1: “Heroes” (PG) 1:20, 3:25, 5:30, 7:35, 9:40	Plaza 4: “Smokey and the Bandit” (PG) 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30
Douglas 2: “Damnation Alley” (PG) 1:20, 3:20, 5:20, 7:20, 9:20	Sheldon: “Aloise” 7, 9:15
Douglas 3: “First Love” (R) 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30	State: “The Hazing” (PG) 2:15, 4:45, 7:30, 9:15
Embassy: “Bel Ami” (X) 11, 2:10, 5:20, 8:30; “Naked Came the Stranger” (X) 12:45, 3:55, 7:05	Stuart: “Star Wars” (PG) 1, 3:05, 5:10, 7:20, 9:30

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# Sailors rescued from sea ordeal

Naples, Italy (UPI) — A U.S. Navy helicopter rescued five American sailors Sunday after they had drifted two days at sea in a disabled utility boat, U.S. 6th Fleet officials said.

A fleet spokesman said the five sailors were in satisfactory condition following two days of exposure in the 43-foot utility boat. The boat and sailors were reported missing Friday while sailing from shore toward the fleet oiler U.S.S. Caloosahatchee.

The sailors were identified as Seaman Richard A. Bartosh Jr., of Modesto, Calif.; Engineman Richard L. Callin of Orlando, Fla.; Seaman Mark B. Myers of Alton, Ill.; Machinist Mate Timothy D. Venable of Norfolk, Va.; and Quartermaster David W. Vogel of Zionsville, Ind.

The fleet spokesman said the five were located in the utility boat about 22 nautical miles south of the Island of Capri and were hoisted aboard a helicopter from the U.S.S. Guadalcanal, a helicopter carrier.

# Mediators enter stalled coal talks

Washington (AP) — Federal mediators intervened Sunday in the stalled coal industry contract talks and summoned both sides to a meeting Tuesday.

Officials of the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service said an attempt will be made to get the negotiations resumed. But they indicated little hope for averting a nationwide coal strike set for Dec. 6.

Negotiations between the United Mine Workers and the Bituminous Coal Operators Association collapsed Friday with both sides trading angry charges of bad-faith bargaining. Union President Arnold Miller had walked out, declaring that a strike “appears to be inevitable.”

The mediators, who entered the dispute officially for the first time since the talks began Oct. 6, scheduled the new meeting for 10 a.m. Tuesday.

Industry sources said they would attend the meeting. The union said it would give the mediators’ request “prompt and serious consideration.”

The UMW’s contract, covering some 130,000 miners who produce about half the nation’s coal, expires at 12:01 a.m. Dec. 6. However, agreement on a new contract would have to have been reached by this weekend to give the miners at least 10 days to put it through the ratification process.

Miller earlier had raised the possibility of a contract extension if there was sufficient progress toward a settlement before the strike deadline. Asked about such a possibility, sources in the mediation service would not rule an extension out but indicated one was unlikely.

“We just won’t know until we get on with the negotiations and see what we might do,” said one source.

When the talks broke off Friday, both sides were far apart on the key issues with Miller saying there had been “absolutely no progress” in the latest session.

The union chief indicated that the coal operators association had proposed an end to the tonnage-royalty system, now used to provide health and pension benefits to miners and their families. He also said the industry was refusing to restore health benefits that were cut on July 1 following a wave of wildcat strikes.

Instead, Miller said the association proposed a “reduced program through company insurance plans.” That would be a sharp departure from the present system, which is funded by royalties based on tons of coal mined and hours worked.

Miller also said the industry is proposing a no-strike clause that would penalize miners by reducing their wages if they participated in wildcat strikes. The union is demanding a limited right to strike over grievances on a local basis, contending that such a provision in the new contract would allow quick settlement of local disputes and put an end to the wildcat strikes that have crippled production in the eastern coal fields.

# Lincoln trailer destroyed

A west Lincoln trailer home was termed a total loss after a fire Sunday morning.

The fire, at lot 27 of 2340 W. O St., was caused by a short-circuit in heat tape used to insulate pipes under the trailer, fire department officials said.

The trailer is the home of Shirley Stutheit and her two children, none of whom was home when fire broke out, officials said. The only casualty was a pet dog, which suffocated during the blaze.

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## Dayan prays for victims of Nazis

Bergen-Belsen, West Germany (AP) — Israeli Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan, in West Germany to discuss prospects for a Mideast peace settlement, began his four-day visit Sunday by praying for thousands of Nazi victims at Bergen-Belsen death camp.

Dayan is meeting Chancellor Helmut Schmidt in Bonn Monday to report on Egyptian President Anwar Sadat's historic journey to Jerusalem last weekend and its aftermath.

Shortly after arriving in Frankfurt on a regularly scheduled El Al flight, Dayan and his wife Rachel flew to north Germany to visit the former Nazi concentration camp where at least 50,000 persons perished during World War II.

Most of the victims were Jews. Anne Frank, whose "Diary of a Young Girl" recounted years of hiding from the Gestapo in Amsterdam, died in the camp only a few weeks before it was liberated by the British army in April 1945.

Dayan walked along a row of grassy mounds covering the mass graves and visited a documentary center showing photographs of the dead inmates and a scale model of the camp.

He laid a wreath with the inscription "Moshe Dayan, Foreign Minister" at a stone memorial for the murdered Jews, then led 150 members of the Hannover Jewish community in a Hebrew prayer.

Israeli Ambassador Yohanan Meroz, Lower Saxony Minister-President Ernst Albrecht and Chairman Werner Nachmann of the West German Jewish Federation attended the solemn ceremony in freezing, overcast weather.

Originally used for Russian prisoners of war, Bergen-Belsen was transformed into a concentration camp for several thousand European Jews in April 1943.

As the Allied armies closed in on the Third Reich, the camp's population soared into the tens of thousands with the arrival of prisoners force marched from Nazi death camps in Poland.

According to West German accounts, a typhus epidemic swept through the freezing, starving inmates beginning in February 1945, killing over 44,000 prisoners by the end of April.

British authorities burned the wooden barracks to the ground shortly after the war ended because of the threat of contagious diseases spreading throughout northern Germany from the camp.

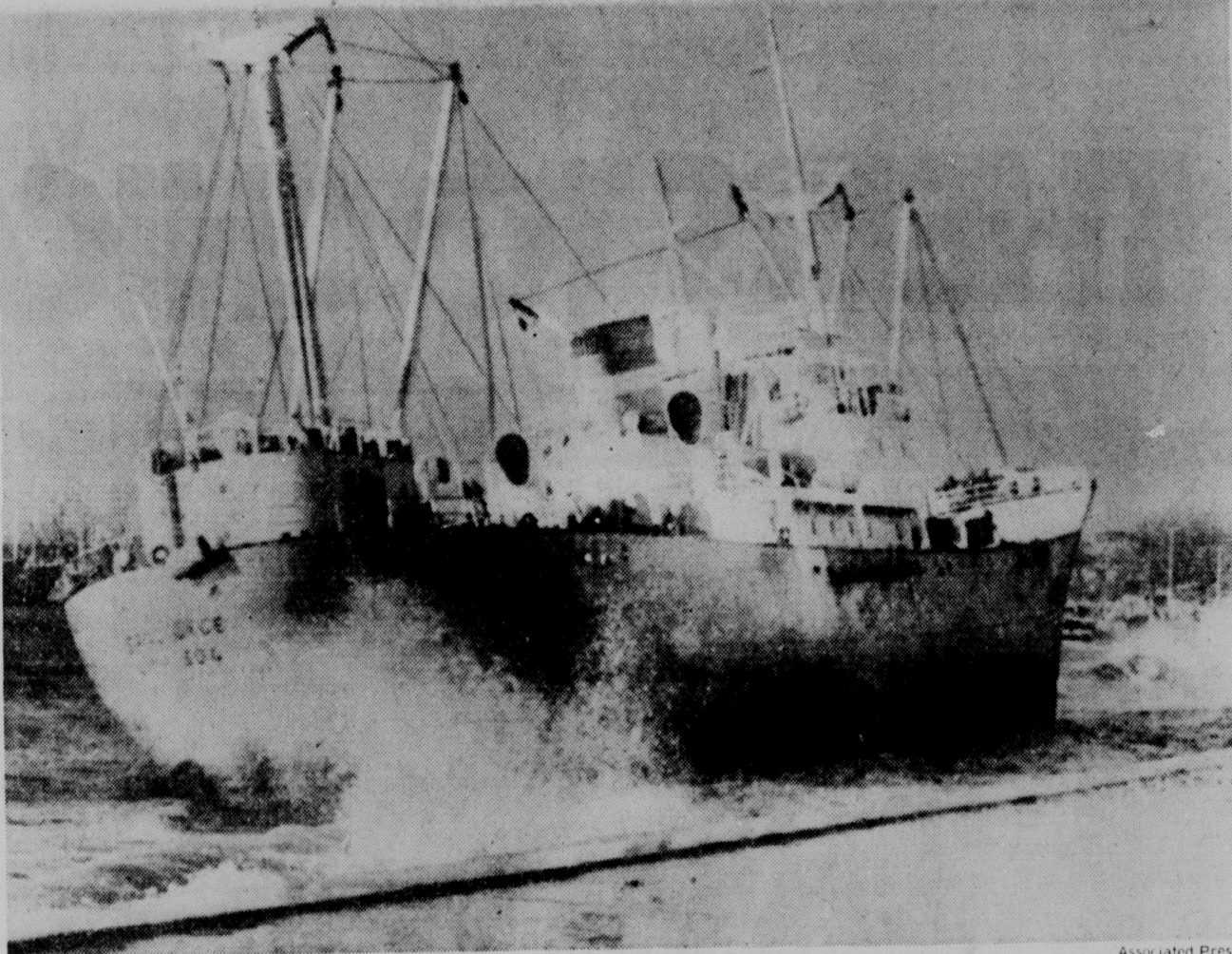
From Bergen-Belsen, Dayan flew to Hamburg where he was guest of honor Sunday night at a reception in city hall. He is flying to Bonn Monday morning amid stringent security precautions, the Foreign Ministry said.

"His visit offers a chance to get a first-hand report on the Israeli ideas for a settlement," the Bonn Foreign Ministry said. "We are the first country to be visited by an Israeli government official since Sadat's journey."

"I appreciate very much the move taken by President Sadat," Dayan told reporters after his arrival in Hamburg. "He realized that four wars in 30 years did not bring very much good to Egypt."

Dayan said Israel was prepared to negotiate with the Arabs "in Cairo, Geneva or in the desert." But he stressed his government would not sit down at a table with the Palestine Liberation Organization.

He said Israel was prepared to make compromises with the Arabs to achieve peace, but would not agree to any proposal which would prevent the country from defending itself.



Associated Press

## Strong wind drives freighter aground

The Greek Cypriot freighter Sangeorge out of Limasol was driven aground Sunday at Ahirkapi in Istanbul, Turkey, by a strong south wind.

## Earthquake shakes Idaho-Oregon area

Boise, Idaho (UPI) — A mild, rolling earthquake struck a 3,000-square-mile area of southwest Idaho and Eastern Oregon early Sunday, shaking houses, rattling dishes and frightening residents and animals, but apparently doing little or no damage.

The quake, at 3:26 a.m. CST, was centered about 70 miles north of Boise, near Cascade, and registered 4.5 on the Richter scale, a magnitude that can cause moderate damage. No injuries were immediately reported.

The tremor, which a Boise resident described as having a "slight roar," lasted about 1 to 1½ minutes, according to the National Earthquake Information Center in Golden, Colo., and the U.S. Geological Survey seismograph at Newport, Wash.

"Our bed was shaking. The door to our bedroom started to shake," said Connie Munn, a resident of Ontario, Ore.

Sheriff's officers reported numerous phone calls from frightened residents near the epicenter of the quake in the Cascade area. One caller said her radio almost fell off a dining room table.

Diana Smith, a dispatcher in Idaho's Gem County sheriff's department, reported that her pet bird fell off his perch and became panicky.

Dale Carpenter of Boise said he and his family were awakened on the second floor of their home by a "kind of an eerie sound and feeling."

"We heard this kind of rattling. We had this necklace hung on the dresser and we could hear it jangling against the glass," he said.

Carpenter described the physical sensation as "just a kind of rolling effect" and said there was also a "slight roar."

Frank Baldwin, a technician at the Newport observatory, estimated the effects of the quake were felt over an area of 3,000 square miles.

Reports of the tremor came from residents of Boise, Cascade and Emmett in Idaho as well as from persons in Vale and Ontario, Ore.

"It must have been felt," said a spokesman at the Earthquake Information Center in Golden. "We've gotten a little bit of feedback on this."

Rich Kibbons, floor manager for the Oregon Museum of Science and Industry, said its seismograph indicated a tremor that was "a good dish rattler."

## Ag jobs highest among legislators

United Press International

Persons engaged in agriculture account for the largest single bloc of legislators in Nebraska, an occupational survey of the nation's 50 state legislatures indicated Saturday.

The profile, compiled by the Insurance Information Institute of Chicago, showed that 13, or 27 percent of the state's 49 legislators in 1977 are engaged in some form of agriculture in Nebraska, including farmers, ranchers and persons in other farm-related occupations.

In the seven-state West North Central region, which includes Nebraska, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, North Dakota and South Dakota, agriculture is the most represented occupational category, the study showed.

One out of every four state legislators in the region are engaged in agriculture, compared with 9 percent on a nationwide basis.

Two other categories with significant representation in the Unicameral are entrepreneur-self-employed, with nine seats, or 19 percent, of the memberships, and educators, with five seats, or just over 10 percent.

Lawyers and insurance people each hold two seats, or 4 percent of the total. Representation by women stands at 6 percent, up from 2 percent in 1976.

The report indicates that lawyers remain the largest single professional or occupational group serving in the 50 state legislatures.

## Program to salute 'good guy' deeds

A program to encourage assistance to law enforcement is being adopted by the Capital City Footprinters. Association President Ron Flansburg said, "All the bad guys are getting the publicity. We want to point out to the public what the good guys are doing."

Capital City Chapter 44 of the International Footprint Association will make "Our Man Friday" awards each month to those who provide the most outstanding assistance to lawmen in solving or preventing crime or provide help with traffic problems, Flansburg said.

Final plans for the program have been completed, and the first award is expected to be made Dec. 16 at the chapter's Christmas party.

"We want to encourage the general public to assist with tips and other help that may result in the solving of crime, and with these awards we want to show everyone that we have a lot of fine people in the Lincoln area who support the cause of law enforcement," Flansburg said. "Many people who give us outstanding assistance too often are not recognized for their aid."

The Footprint Association of businessmen and members of law enforcement agencies.

## UNL slates canal talk by negotiations advisor

The Panama Canal treaties will be discussed by the senior military advisor to the U.S. negotiating team at 3:30 p.m. Thursday in the Nebraska Union, 14th and R.

Col. Lawrence W. Jackley will be speaking at the public forum sponsored by the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Institute for International Studies.

Col. Jackley is a native of Des Moines, Iowa. Since 1975, he has been special assistant, Panama Canal Treaty Negotiations, Office of the Secretary of Defense. He was commander of Defense Task Force, Atlantic Sector, Canal Zone in 1974-75. He also served in the Canal Zone as a staff officer in 1969-71.

A graduate of the U.S. Military Academy, Col. Jackley has also served in Germany, Korea, the Dominican Republic and Viet Nam. He attended the U.S. War College and was senior Army advisor on the U.S. Naval War College Faculty.

## Speeds radar-checked to aid accident bureau

Associated Press

What some Nebraskans take for State Patrol vehicles checking speeders with radar may in some cases be officials monitoring traffic speeds for the state Department of Roads.

Larry Briggs, traffic analysis engineer for the roads division, said his department makes the speed

measurements at least four times a year at 47 speed monitoring sites on five different classifications of highways.

The purpose of this, Briggs said, is to provide figures for the accident record bureau of the roads department.

Radar equipment is used to monitor about 7,000 cars to get the speed picture, Briggs said.

## Well drilling notices filed

Eleven notices of intent to drill oil wells in Nebraska were filed for the week of November 21 with the Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission.

The wells (operator, name of well, location, contractor and API number) include:

Husky Oil Company #7 Hoffman, C SE NE Section 14, T. 2N., R. 28 W., Red Willow County - Ackman Field - c/Murfin Drilling Co. (3,600' Lansing-Kansas City) 26 145 21309  
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Husky Oil Company #3 Brooks, NW NE (760' F.N.L. 1,990' F.E.L.) Section 18, T. 2N., R. 27 W., Red Willow County - Wildcat - c/Murfin Drilling Co. (3,600' Lansing-Kansas City) 26 145 21313  
Nebo Exploration & Production, Inc., Perry Exploration, et al, and Gear Drilling Company #1 Anderson, C NE NE Section 1, T. 17 N., R. 55 W., Banner County - Wildcat - c/Gear Drilling Co. (6,300' "J" Sand) 26 007 21432  
S & W Drilling Company, Inc. #1 Hidy, C SW SE Section 28, T. 3 N., R. 33 W., Hitchcock County - Wildcat - c/Rains & Williamson (4,150' Base Kansas City) 26 087 21258

## College of St. Mary is hiking tuition by \$6 per credit hour

Omaha (UPI) — The College of Saint Mary announced a \$6 per credit hour increase in tuition effective at the start of the 1978 summer session.

Sister Mary Angelica, college president, said the credit hour increase from \$74 to \$80 would bring the tuition cost per semester to \$1,280 for 16 credit hours.

"We had no choice but to increase the tuition fee in order to continue the excellence of education for which CSM is known," Sister Angelica said, "and to meet the increasing costs of salaries, utilities and building maintenance, to mention only three of the largest budget items."

## Du Pont adds extra dividend

Wilmington, Del. (AP) — Directors of E.I. Du Pont de Nemours & Co. have declared a year-end dividend of \$2 a share on common stock, payable Dec. 14 to stockholders of record as of The year-end dividend in The year-end dividend in

cludes the normal \$1.25 per share quarterly dividend, plus an extra 75 cents per share, bringing the year's total dividend per share to \$5.75, highest since 1973 when the same amount was paid.

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# Huskers likely to miss top ten for first time in eight seasons

For the first time in eight seasons, the Nebraska Cornhuskers are likely to fall out of the top ten in the final Associated Press football rating.

AP declared the Huskers national champions following both the 1970 and '71 campaigns. Since then, Nebraska wound up 4th after the 1972 season, 7th the next year and 9th each of the last three seasons.

Except for the 1975 rating — ninth after losing to Arizona State in the Fiesta Bowl — a bowl game victory helped raise the Huskers into Top Ten status.

Nebraska finished Tom Osborne's first year as head coach by beating highly-regarded Texas in the Cotton Bowl. That pushed the Huskers up to 7th in the final balloting.

The next year, Nebraska would have been below 10th but a victory over Florida in the Sugar Bowl pulled the Huskers up to 9th.

The same thing happened last year. The Bluebonnet Bowl triumph over higher-rated Texas Tech did the trick.

It won't happen this time. The Huskers were ranked 11th last week in the AP poll. They won't drop much, even after the thrashing from Oklahoma. Only Clemson might go by them, leaving the Huskers 12th.

But Liberty Bowl foe North Carolina won't be any better than 14th or 15th. Thus, a victory on Dec. 19th, won't affect the ratings much.

It would sure help recruiting, however, and help nullify the loss of prestige from the showing against the Sooners on

Virgil Parker



Sports Editor

national TV.

Speaking of recruiting, it was interesting to compare the starting lineups of Nebraska and Oklahoma in Friday's game to find out where the two schools get their talent.

This won't prove to be a very popular discussion — for I am among those who feels — as you may — that one of the great pluses of Nebraska football is the number of in-state athletes who are given scholarships and get to play. But "our" kids may not have the speed to stay with a widely recruited team like Oklahoma.

Two native Nebraskans and nine out-of-staters started for the Huskers on offense. That was a unit which this year broke the all-time school rushing record. Oklahoma was about the same. The Sooners had three natives and eight from out-of-state.

But Nebraska was almost reversed on defense — where the

difference in speed was most notable.

The Huskers started eight natives and just three from out-of-state on defense. Oklahoma had a more balanced 5-6 ratio — six were from out-of-state — on defense.

It doesn't take long to discover that the fastest runners around come from Texas — where a warm climate and greater emphasis on track has to make a difference. It also points out why the feud between Darrell Royal at Texas and Barry Switzer at Oklahoma was always boiling over.

Of Oklahoma's 14 out-of-state starters, 11 of them hail from Texas.

Three of the four backfield starters — Thomas Lott, Kenney King and Billy Sims — tight end Victor Hicks and split end Steve Rhodes to name a few from the offense.

Check these defensive standouts for the Sooners — cornerback Zac Henderson, linebacker Daryl Hunt and linebacker George Cumby. All from Texas!

I'm not sure I'd prefer a "Nebraska" football team comprised entirely of players from out of state, even if it won all its games. However, if we want to compete with the Oklahomas — and "if" is probably a debatable word in this case — then the present ratio may need reexamination.

A few closing, leftover notes from the Oklahoma game: Thursday afternoon, each team went out on Owen Field for a final limbering up drill. The Sooners were unbelievably "loose" and casual about the next day's big game.

When OU Coach Barry Switzer spotted Nebraska Sports Information Director Don Bryant along the sidelines, he old his club to run the "flea-flicker" play which beat the Huskers in the closing moments of last year's game, "just in case Bryant missed and didn't see what happened."

The Sooners ran through the pass-lateral play not once, but twice — the second time in slow motion.

Through the whole drill, offensive tackle Karl Baldischwiler had a cigar in his mouth. The day before the game!

Oklahoma SID John Keith even shakes his head in disbelief. "I'm sure a lot of people think they're acting too cocky," Keith admits. "But as long as they keep winning it's hard to criticize. They're a close-knit group that seems to be enjoying themselves and getting a lot of fun out of football. I suppose, if they lose, some fans will blame it on their being too casual."

Switzer is much the same way. He was laughing over the mixed emotions he'll have at the Orange Bowl, coaching against his alma mater.

"But that's nothing compared to my wife," he said. Switzer met his wife when they were both students at Arkansas. "She was the featured baton twirler with the marching band," the OU coach recalls. "She's already told me she's going to stand when they play the Arkansas fight song in Miami."



Associated Press

Minnesota's Chuck Foreman falls for an 8-yard gain as three Green Bay Packers close in on him.

## Many teams rooting for Notre Dame

Associated Press

Notre Dame, the team that everyone usually wants to beat, will be the object of much affection during the upcoming college football bowl season.

Who'll be rooting for Notre Dame? For openers, only second-ranked Alabama, No. 3 Oklahoma, fourth-ranked Michigan, No. 6 Arkansas, No. 7 Kentucky and No. 9 Penn State.

All those teams have one defeat marring their records—so does fifth-ranked Notre Dame, by the way—but the only way any of them apparently will have a shot at the national championship is for the Fighting Irish to defeat No. 1-ranked Texas in the Cotton Bowl on Jan. 2.

The Texas Longhorns completed an 11-0 regular season as the nation's only unbeaten major team Saturday by trouncing No. 12 Texas A&M 57-28 as Earl Campbell churned out a career-high 222 yards on 27 carries and scored four times.

That gave them the Southwest Conference championship in Coach Fred Akers' first season as successor to Darrell Royal while Texas A&M had to settle for the Bluebonnet Bowl against Southern Cal.

Five other bowl berths also were decided over the long holiday weekend.

On Friday, Oklahoma crushed No. 11 Nebraska 38-7 and captured the Big Eight title and a spot in the Orange Bowl while Nebraska will go to the Liberty Bowl.

Friday night, Southern Cal edged No.

17 UCLA 29-27 on Frank Jordan's 38-yard field goal with two seconds left in a game that did three things—(1) it got USC into the Bluebonnet Bowl, (2) it sent 14th-ranked Washington into the Rose Bowl for the first time in 14 years and (3) eliminated UCLA from same.

At the same time, No. 19 Arizona State whipped Arizona 23-7 and became the Western Athletic Conference's representative in the Fiesta Bowl.

In other holiday action involving the Associated Press Top Twenty, Alabama trimmed Auburn 48-21, No. 6 Arkansas nipped Texas Tech 17-14, No. 9 Penn State shaded No. 10 Pitt 15-13 and No. 18 Brigham Young walloped Texas-El Paso 68-19.

The complete post-season bowl lineup:

Cotton Bowl—No. 1 Texas vs. No. 5 Notre Dame.

Sugar Bowl—No. 2 Alabama vs. No. 8 Ohio State.

Orange Bowl—No. 3 Oklahoma vs. No. 6 Arkansas.

Rose Bowl—No. 4 Michigan vs. No. 14 Washington.

Fiesta Bowl—No. 9 Penn State vs. No. 19 Arizona State.

Gator Bowl—No. 10 Pitt vs. No. 13 Clemson.

Liberty Bowl—No. 11 Nebraska vs. No. 15 North Carolina.

Bluebonnet Bowl—No. 12 Texas A&M vs. Southern California.

Tangerine Bowl—No. 20 Florida State vs. Texas Tech.

Sun Bowl—Louisiana State vs. Stanford.

Peach Bowl—Iowa State vs. North Carolina State.

Hall of Fame Classic—Maryland vs. Minnesota.

Independence Bowl—Louisiana Tech vs. Louisville.

While other teams can impress the voters in the bowls, Kentucky's season is over. The Wildcats are on probation and ineligible for post-season play.

Texas' Campbell, the SWC's all-time rushing leader, had plenty of help against Texas A&M from Randy McEachern, who tied a school record by throwing four touchdown passes. The first, a 60-yard bomb, went to none other than Campbell, while Alfred Jackson caught a pair in the second period and Olympic sprinter Johnny "Lam" Jones hauled in a 37-yarder in the final quarter.

"I don't know if this was my best game," said Campbell, even though the statistics sheet said it was. "I try not to judge those things. In one more game I'll let you know."

As befits a team that was unranked in the pre-season poll and picked to finish somewhere around the middle of the league, the Texas dressing room was awash with verbal ecstasy.

Said Coach Akers when asked about his feelings: "Great, real proud, wonderful, magnificent. If I felt any better it wouldn't be fair."

And McEachern, a third-stringer until the Longhorns' first two quarter-

backs were injured in the fourth game of the season, termed it "incredible that we won the Southwest Conference championship, that we're ranked No. 1 in the nation, that we're going to the Cotton Bowl and that I'm the quarterback."

Penn State built a 15-7 lead over Pitt on field goals of 34, 31 and 20 yards by Matt Bahr and a 50-yard punt return for a touchdown which began with Jimmy Cefalo handing off to Mike Guman on a reverse.

Pitt scored with 12 seconds left on a 17-yard pass from Matt Cavanaugh to Gordon Jones but Elliott Walker's two-point conversion run was turned back on the slick, snowswept Pitt Stadium turf.

"I've been coming to Pitt Stadium for 28 years and this one could be the sweetest," said Penn State Coach Joe Paterno. "This was as exciting as the Orange Bowl game we played against Kansas (a 15-14 last-minute victory in 1969)."

Jeff Rutledge completed 9 of 13 passes for 193 yards and two touchdowns and carried 15 times for 102 yards as Alabama beat Auburn. In another traditional rivalry, Army beat Navy for the first time in five years 17-14.

Campbell won the national rushing crown with 1,744 yards to 1,686 for Louisiana State's Charles Alexander and 1,680 for Oklahoma State's Terry Miller.

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## Steelers move into first; Broncos still best overall

Associated Press

The Pittsburgh Steelers climbed into first place in the American Football Conference's Central Division while Los Angeles, Minnesota, Denver and Dallas strengthened their playoff chances with victories Sunday as the National Football League's regular season rolled into its final month.

Pittsburgh beat the New York Jets 23-20 as Terry Bradshaw threw two touchdowns passes and intercepted five passes. That raised the Steelers' record to 7-4 and gave them a one-game lead over the other three AFC Central teams — Cleveland, Cincinnati and Houston — with three weeks to go in the season.

Cleveland dropped out of a tie for the lead by losing to the Los Angeles Rams 9-0, while Cincinnati whipped the New York Giants 30-13 and Houston beat the Kansas City Chiefs 34-20, moving into a tie for second place.

The victory by the Rams, 8-3, kept them two games ahead of Atlanta in the National Football Conference's West Division. The Falcons, 6-5, kept their divisional title hopes and wild card playoff chances alive by blanking the Tampa Bay Buccaneers 17-0.

Minnesota, 7-4, moved one game ahead of the Chicago Bears in the NFC Central, beating the Green Bay Packers 13-6.

Denver raised its record to 10-1, best in the NFL, with a 27-13 victory over the Baltimore Colts. Baltimore, 9-2, plays AFC East runnerup Miami, 8-3, in a crucial game next Monday night at Miami.

Dallas scored a 14-7 triumph over their arch-rivals, the Washington Redskins, and took a two-game lead over St. Louis in the NFC East with a 9-2

record. Washington dropped to third place at 6-5, its playoff hopes fading.

In other NFL action Sunday, the New England Patriots trimmed the Philadelphia Eagles 14-6, the San Diego Chargers nipped the Seattle Seahawks 30-28 and the San Francisco 49ers edged the New Orleans Saints 20-17.

Monday night, it's Buffalo at Oakland.

On Thursday, Chicago beat Detroit 31-14 and Miami trounced St. Louis 55-14.

Bradshaw completed scoring strikes of 37 yards to John Stallworth in the first period and 5 yards to Lynn Swann early in the second period, then the Steelers took the lead for good 20-13 with 56 seconds remaining in the first half on Franco Harris' 1-yard run.

Roy Gerela's 37-yard field goal with 5:58 to play proved to be the winning margin as the Jets scored in the final two minutes on a 4-yard pass from Richard Todd to Bruce Harper.

Glen Edwards had two of Pittsburgh's five interceptions.

John Cappelletti pounded 7 yards for a first-period touchdown and Rafael Septien kicked an 18-yard field goal as the Rams blanked Cleveland. Pat Haden completed 20 of 29 passes for 172 yards for Los Angeles and Lawrence McCutcheon gained 104 yards on 24 carries.

Ken Anderson fired three first-half touchdown passes, including a 58-yarder to wide receiver Billy Brooks on Cincinnati's first play from scrimmage, and the Giants never recovered.

Dan Pastorini threw three touchdown passes, including two to Ken Burroughs, as the Oilers built a 34-6 lead and coasted past Kansas City. Rob Carpenter rushed for 149

yards, Ronnie Coleman gained 101 and Tim Wilson scored on a pair of 1-yard runs for Houston.

Tampa Bay suffered its fifth shutout of the season and dropped to 0-25 in two years of NFL play. Haskel Stanback scored both Atlanta touchdowns on 1-yard plunges.

Bob Lee passed 40 yards to Sammy White in swirling snow for Minnesota's go-ahead touchdown and Chuck Foreman darted and slid for 101 yards as the Vikings beat the Packers.

Denver linebacker Tom Jackson thwarted a Baltimore comeback effort by intercepting a Bert Jones pass and dashing 73 yards for a touchdown. Baltimore had come from 14-0 to 14-13 before Jackson's fourth-quarter interception. Craig Morton passed for two Denver touchdowns and ran for a third.

Roger Staubach got a first down with a quarterback sneak on fourth-and-1 from the 2, then Tony Dorsett smashed in from the 1 for a fourth-quarter touchdown and the winning margin as Dallas beat Washington.

Steve Grogan passed for two touchdowns in the first half and the New England defense sacked Philadelphia quarterback Ron Jaworski eight times in the Patriots' victory.

Quarterback Dan Fouts, who rejoined San Diego after a 125-day holdout, hit Charlie Joiner with a 17-yard touchdown pass and defensive end Fred Dean raced 22 yards with an interception for another fourth-quarter score, leading the Chargers past Seattle.

Ray Wersching's 42-yard field goal as time ran out provided the winning points for the 49ers, who got 190 yards rushing from Wilbur Jackson.

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## New UCLA cage coach suffers jitters

Associated Press

Gary Cunningham suffered opening-night jitters—after the performance.

"If they are all like this, I will lose my hair," said UCLA's rookie coach after sweating through a tinging 75-73 decision over Brigham Young Saturday night.

The second win came much easier, as the Bruins coasted to a 106-73 win over Seattle University Sunday in Los Angeles.

Cunningham, a one-time protege of basketball miracle worker John Wooden, replaced Gene Bartow at the UCLA helm this season and Saturday night's debut against a supposedly weaker Brigham Young team was anything but reassuring.

"I'm disappointed defensively in our club," said Cunningham. "I felt we were sluggish and didn't hustle. I do think we played stronger in the second half, but with three minutes to go and seven points up, we had a charging foul, and took a bad outside shot. This is something we'll have to work on."

Forward James Wilkes' tip-in at the buzzer gave the sixth-ranked Bruins the victory over the stubborn Cougars. Led by guard Roy Hamilton's 22 points, the Bruins had to fight Brigham Young to the very end.

UCLA seemed to have the game in hand when Hamilton went to the free throw line with 53 seconds left and the Bruins on top 73-71. But the junior guard missed the first half of the one-and-one situation and BYU got the rebound.

Cougar guard Scott Runia then tied the contest with 29 seconds left on a shot from the corner of the key. The Bruins called time out, then worked the ball around as play resumed, giving the ball to Raymond Townsend with five seconds left. His shot missed, but Wilkes tipped the ball in as the game ended.

"We really played bad," said Hamilton. "But remember that we're still a young team. We have a lot of development to go, and if we play together, it will all blend. We were not expecting BYU to be so tough. BYU surprised me. They played well and took good shots."

Form held for the most part in the rest of the Top Twenty as No. 1 North Carolina led the way with a 94-63 rout of Oregon State. Elsewhere, second-ranked Kentucky walloped SMU 110-86; No. 4 Notre Dame crushed Mississippi 111-62; fifth-ranked San Francisco tripped San Francisco State 100-67; No. 7 Arkansas hammered Southwest Missouri State 65-47; ninth-ranked Cincinnati trimmed Akron 91-81; No. 11 Syracuse crushed Cornell 88-61; No. 12 Purdue stopped Xavier (Ohio) 80-82; No. 13 Michigan beat Western Kentucky 87-81; No. 17 Wake Forest defeated UNC-Wilmington 83-79 and No. 20 St. John's outscored Old Dominion 81-75 to win the Joe Lapchick Tournament in New York.

South Carolina pulled off the day's only upset, whipping No. 16 Minnesota 62-55.

Pat Cummings scored 25 points to pace Cincinnati over Akron. The victory was the Bearcats' 61st consecutive home court victory—the longest current major college streak.

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## Keeping it going

Bob Rollof keeps his pipe going at Sunday's Green Bay-Minnesota football game

by turning it over as a heavy snow fell in Green Bay. The Vikings won, 13-6.



# Sports Digest

## Tennis

Six-time Wimbledon champion **Billie Jean King** beat Martina Navratilova 7-5, 5-7, 6-1 to capture the women's finals at the \$125,000 Gunze World Tennis Tournament. **Ken Rosewall**, the 43-year-old Australian came from behind to defeat **Ilie Nastase** 4-6, 7-6, 6-4 for the men's title.

Top-seeded **Tim Gullikson** of the United States beat **Ismail El Shafel** of Egypt 6-7, 7-5, 7-6, 6-4 to win the \$50,000 Taipei Summit Open Tennis Championship.

**Eddie Dibbs** of Miami, Fla., overpowered **Raul Ramirez** of Mexico 6-4, 6-1 to capture the \$14,000 top spot in the Masaveu Grand Prix in Oviedo, Spain.

Rain forced postponement till today of the final between Australians **Eyonne Goolagong** and **Wendy Turnbull** in the \$75,000 Melbourne women's tennis tournament.

**Guillermo Vilas** of Argentina defeated **Hans Gildemeister** of Chile 7-6, 6-4 to reach the finals of the \$20,000 Argentina Open Tennis Championship where he will meet Jaim Fillol of Chile.

## Golf

**Severiano Ballesteros** of Spain fired a 1-under-par 71 to win the \$250,000 Phoenix Golf Tournament in Miyazaki, Japan. It was the second consecutive Japanese tournament victory for Ballesteros in two weeks. He won the Japan Open last week.

**Bob Shearer**, the No. 1 player in Australia, birdied the last two holes to win the \$165,000 Champions Golf Tournament in Melbourne, Australia.

## Other sports

**Kurt Thomas** of Miami, Fla., scoring a near-perfect 9.90 points on the side horse, led U.S. men gymnasts to victory over first-day leader West Germany in a four nation meet in Muenster, West Germany, while Hungary totaled 539.80, and France compiled 533.10.

Individual U.S. placings included: Thomas, second, 111.15; **Bart Connor**, Chicago, seventh, 108.95; **Mike Wilson**, Dallas, ninth, 108.70; **Jim Hartung**, Omaha, 11th, 108.10; **Mike Carter**, Baton Rouge, 13th, 106.90; **Tim Laffeur**, Minneapolis, 17th, 105.30.

Olympic and World Cup downhill champion **Franz Klammer** of Austria picked up where he left off with a thrilling victory in the opening event of the new World Series Ski Season. Norwegian **Erik Haker** finished second. Austria, with six men among the first 10, led the team standings.

The New York Racing Association must show cause on why it should be allowed to maintain a suspension of owner-trainer Jack Morgan, a figure in the Belmont Park horse-switch case who has sued the NYRA for \$125,000. A hearing will be held Tuesday on a temporary restraining order issued against the suspension of **Dr. Mark Gerard**, a veterinarian who is the central figure in the case.

Middleweight boxer, **Mike "Cobra" Colbert**, the No. 1 contender, who lost his first fight in 23 matches Saturday night to **Marvin Hagler**, was admitted to Massachusetts General Hospital with multiple fractures of his jaw.

Second-half goals by **Tom Maresca** and **John Young** carried unbeaten and second-ranked **Hartwick** to a 2-0 victory over Philadelphia Textile in the quarter-finals of the NCAA Soccer Championships.

**Rich Scudellari**, Boston College's middle linebacker from Greenlawn, N.Y., was named winner of the annual Gold Helmet Award as New England's top college football player in 1977.

# Stabler expected to start

Oakland (UPI) — John Madden all but confirmed Sunday that quarterback Ken Stabler, the man who makes the Oakland offense go, will be in the starting lineup Monday night when the world champion Raiders host the sinking Buffalo Bills.

Madden said he won't make up his mind about Stabler, who injured his knee in the first quarter last Sunday against San Diego, until game time, which is 6 p.m. PST for the nationally televised matchup with the 2-8 Bills.

The Raiders are fighting for their playoff lives with an 8-2 record which includes losses to the Denver Broncos and the Chargers. Mike Rae took over for Stabler last Sunday and the Raiders eventually lost to San Diego, 12-7, generating a total offense of only 140 yards.

Rae, though, was rusty coming off the bench in an emergency situation. This past week he has worked as the No. 1 quarterback in every drill, polishing his timing on passing plays. The Oakland offense, one of the most wide open in football, became very conservative once Rae got into the San Diego game and that was believed to be because of Rae's lack of timing on pass plays.

## NBA

EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philadelphia	14	5	.737	—
New York	10	8	.556	3 1/2
Buffalo	9	10	.474	5
Boston	6	11	.353	7
New Jersey	3	16	.158	11

Central Division				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	12	5	.706	—
Atlanta	10	6	.625	1 1/2
San Antonio	12	8	.600	1 1/2
New Orleans	11	8	.579	2
Washington	9	7	.563	2 1/2
Houston	6	11	.353	6

WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Denver	13	8	.619	—
Chicago	9	8	.529	2
Milwaukee	10	9	.526	2
Kansas City	7	12	.368	5
Indiana	6	11	.353	5
Detroit	6	11	.353	5

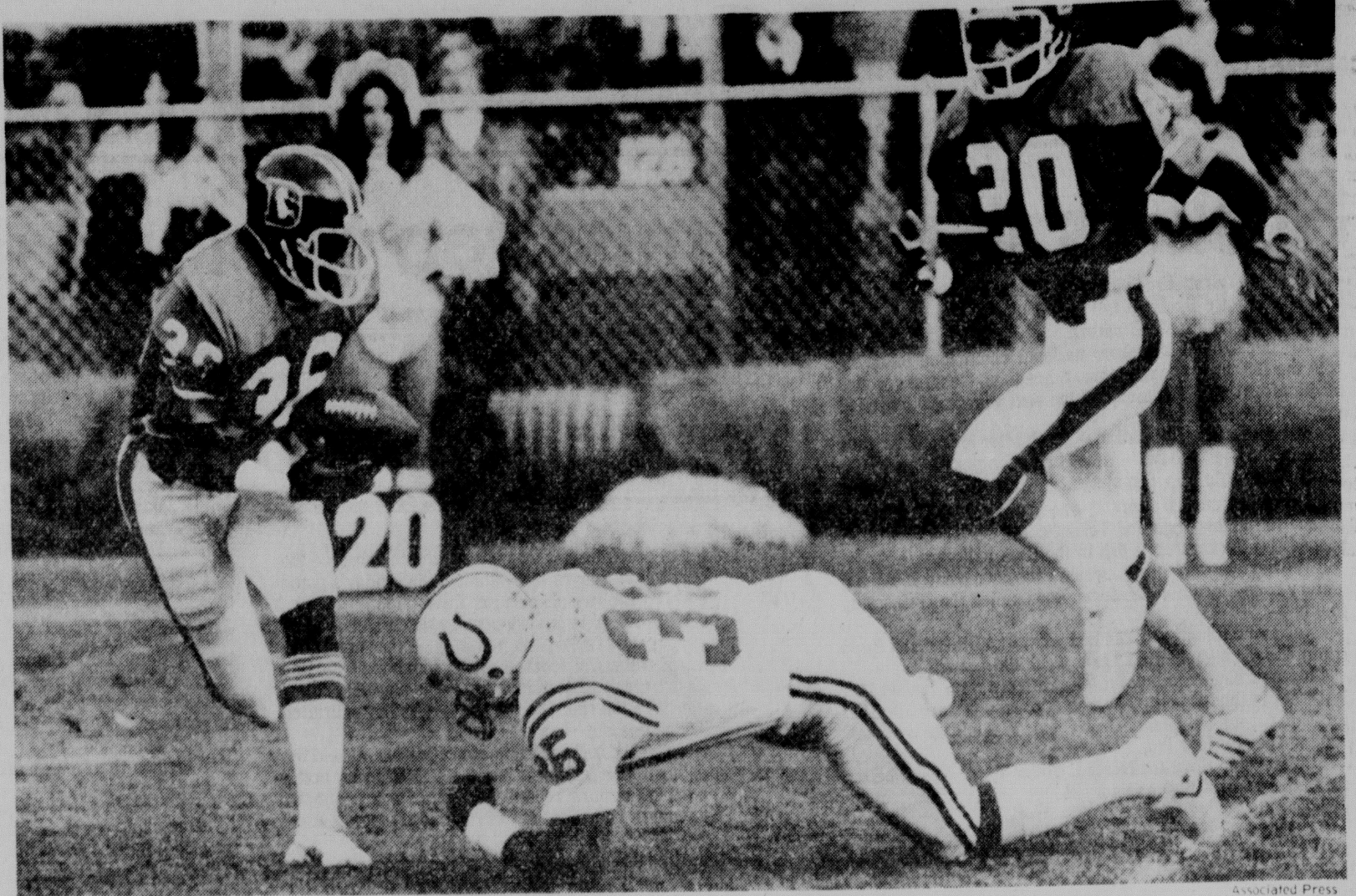
Pacific Division				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Portland	11	6	.647	3 1/2
Golden State	9	11	.450	7
Los Angeles	8	11	.421	7 1/2
Seattle	5	16	.238	11 1/2

Saturday's Games				
Philadelphia 112, Buffalo 109				
New York 112, Golden State 106				
Cleveland 105, Detroit 87				
Washington 93, Houston 91				
San Antonio 129, Milwaukee 107				
Denver 136, Indiana 123				
Kansas City 110, Boston 108				
Portland 114, New Jersey 102				

Sunday's Games				
New Orleans 115, Kansas City 106				
Phoenix 115, Denver 97				
Portland 100, Los Angeles 93				
New Jersey 96, Seattle 96				
Houston at New York, 7:30 p.m.				

Tuesday's Games				
Los Angeles at Cleveland, 8 p.m.				
Boston at Atlanta, 8:10 p.m.				
Philadelphia at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.				
New Orleans at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.				
New York at Houston, 9:05 p.m.				
Seattle at Denver, 9:35 p.m.				
New Jersey at Golden State, 10:30 p.m.				
Phoenix at Portland, 11 p.m.				

College scores				
Georgetown 71, Navy 56				
Maryland 78, American U. 65				
UCLA 106, Seattle U. 73				
Villanova 102, Merrimack Coll. 70				



Denver Bronco safety Bill Thompson gathers in the football after a pass from Baltimore quarterback Bert Jones popped from the arms of Colt receiver Glenn Doughty.

## LSC second in AAU meet

Omaha — J.B. Barr, Kathy Gustafson, and Aaron Drake paced the Lincoln Swim Club to a second place finish in the three-day Thanksgiving AAU Swim Meet.

The Lincoln Swim Club tallied 34 first place finishes, to trail only the Omaha West-side Swim Club, which had 85 blue ribbons. The meet drew 28 teams, and 290 swimmers from nine states.

Barr had six first place finishes and set three meet records, while Gustafson contributed four first place wins, and Drake set three new meet records.

LSC first place finishers: Boys, 8 & under, 50 yard freestyle — J.B. Barr, 31.36 (new record); 50 butterfly — Barr, 38.19 (new record); 100 butterfly — Barr, 1:22.13 (new record); 100 freestyle — Barr, 1:12.32 (new record); 50 backstroke — Barr, 43.78; 50 backstroke — Barr, 27.77; 10 & under, 50 backstroke — John Wilson, 38.36; 13 & 14, 100 backstroke — Aaron Drake, 1:01.82; 100 backstroke — Aaron Drake, 1:08.85; 200 individual medley — Aaron Drake, 2:09.00 (new record); 200 individual medley — David Timm, 2:24.40; 100 butterfly — Timm, 1:09.28; 200 breaststroke — Aaron Drake, 2:24.15 (new record); 200 freestyle — Timm, 2:07.88; 100 breaststroke — Timm, 1:16.27; 100 breaststroke — Aaron Drake, 1:05.93 (new record); 200 breaststroke — Aaron Drake, 2:24.15 (new record); 200 individual medley — Aaron Drake, 2:27.61; 200 individual medley — Cami Brungard, 2:37.30; 50 breaststroke — Gustafson, 36.16; 200 freestyle — Aaron Drake, 2:09.10; 50 freestyle — Aaron Drake, 29.72; 100 breaststroke — Gustafson, 1:16.75; 50 backstroke — Susan Graves, 31.23; 13-14, 50 freestyle — Betsy Wilson, 1:03.79; Senior, 200 breaststroke — Denise Wright, 2:44.18.

# Campbell satisfied with results

United Press International — When the guy doing the work comes away satisfied with the result, then it must have been all right.

And Earl Campbell was definitely all right last Saturday.

"This is the way I would like for it to have ended," admitted Campbell. And the myriad of Texas Longhorns backers said, "amen."

Since Campbell pulverized Texas A&M for a career high 222 rushing yards, caught a 60-yard touchdown pass, scored four times, helped Texas to a 57-28 victory, gave the Longhorns an unbeaten regular season, protected their No. 1 ranking, brought them an undisputed Southwest Conference title and ushered them into the Cotton Bowl against Notre Dame, it is time to do some totalling.

The NCAA book is closed on the senior fullback — his appearance against Notre Dame Jan. 2 won't count in the records — and these are some of the things he has done:

— In 1977 Campbell gained 1,744 yards, more than any back in the nation, and averaged 6.9 yards a carry, more than any other back with an appreciable number of carries. Campbell accumulated his yardage in 267 attempts while LSU's

Charles Alexander, who finished second in rushing, carried 44 times more and gained 58 yards less.

— Campbell became the first player from the Southwest Conference ever to lead the country in rushing and if he should win the Heisman Trophy next week he would become the first SWC player to do that in 20 years.

— In a four-year career Campbell picked up 4,443 yards, the most ever by a Texas Longhorn and the most ever by a SWC back.

— He scored 19 touchdowns this year and could finish the season as the nation's leading point producer.

— And he has done all this while playing in only about 60 percent of Texas' offensive plays. If he had played anywhere near the entire games early in the season against Boston College, Virginia and Rice, Campbell would have probably gained more than 2,000 yards this season.

"I've never seen a better runner," said Texas A&M Coach Emory Bellard, whose team surrendered the most points ever in the Aggies Longhorn series, a rivalry that dates to 1894.

"If Earl Campbell doesn't win the Heisman Trophy," said A&M defensive end Phil Bennett, "they ought to throw the thing away."

And Texas Coach Fred Akers had another say about Campbell.

"I've said all along," Akers began, "that I was not going to let myself be surprised by anything that guy does. But it's hard not to."

"He's something special. But, even though he had a tremendous game, he'll be the first one to tell you he didn't get all those yards by himself. I can't imagine what else he would have to do to convince people that he should win the Heisman Trophy."

It didn't seem like it in College Station last Saturday, of course, but there were some other conference games played. Baylor (5-6) closed out its season with a 48-9 victory over TCU (2-9) and the Houston Cougars (6-4) demolished intracity rival Rice (1-10), 51-21. That was the Owls 10th loss in a row.

The sixth-ranked and Orange Bowl bound Arkansas Razorbacks had to come from behind to nip Texas Tech on Thanksgiving Day, 17-14.

A final game is scheduled next Saturday, with Texas A&M — now headed for the Bluebonnet Bowl and facing a tough chore getting back up for the task — playing the Houston Cougars on national television.

# Trail Blazers gain fifth straight win

## From Press Reports

Forward Lloyd Neal tied his career high with 33 points Sunday night to help the Portland Trail Blazers down the Los Angeles Lakers, 100-93, the defending NBA champions' fifth straight victory.

Neal, filling in for injured starter Maurice Lucas, hit 15 of 19 shots from the field and made three of four free throws. Reserves Tom Owens

and Johnny Davis added 13 apiece for the Trail Blazers.

In other NBA games, New Orleans defeated Kansas City 115-106, Phoenix downed Denver 115-97 and New Jersey topped Seattle 99-96.

At New Orleans, Pete Maravich scored 41 points and Len Robinson grabbed 19 rebounds to lead the Jazz over the Kings. The Kings played without forward Richard

Washington, who sprained an ankle Saturday night.

Kansas City's top scorers were reserve guard Otis Birdsong, who had 23 points, and forward Scott Wedman, who had 20.

At Phoenix, Paul Westphal scored a career high 48 points to lift the Suns past the Nuggets. The 48 points was also one more than the previous club high of 47 by

Alvan Adams and Gail Goodrich.

David Thompson, the NBA's leading scorer with a 27.6 points per game average, was held to 24 points by the Suns. Dan Issel was second high for the Nuggets with 17.

At Seattle, center George Johnson blocked three shots in the last three minutes and scored a crucial free throw to lead the Nets.

## Hockey standings

NHL				
Campbell Conference				
Patrick Division				
Team	W	L	T	Pts.
Philadelphia	11	6	2	24
NY Islanders	11	6	2	24
Atlanta	7	7	2	16
NY Rangers	6	8	2	14

Smythe Division				
Team	W	L	T	Pts.
Chicago	6	8	2	14
Vancouver	6	9	1	13
Colorado	6	9	1	13
Minnesota	5	12	3	13
St. Louis	5	12	3	13

Wales Conference				
Norris Division				
Team	W	L	T	Pts.
Montreal	14	4	3	31
Los Angeles	9	7	5	23
Detroit	9	8	3	21
Pittsburgh	6	10	4	16
Washington	2	14	5	9

Adams Division				
Team	W	L	T	Pts.
Boston	13	5	4	30
Buffalo	13	6	2	28
Toronto	11	4	3	25
Cleveland	6	12	2	14

Sunday's Results				
Buffalo 3, NY Rangers 2				
NY Islanders 4, Detroit 1				
Philadelphia 2, Los Angeles 0				
Boston 4, St. Louis 1				

WHA				
Team	W	L	T	Pts.
New England	15	4	2	32
Winnipeg	12	8	1	25
Quebec	12	8	1	25
Edmonton	9	10	1	19
Houston	8	9	0	16
Indianapolis	6	10	3	15
Birmingham	6	12	2	14
Cincinnati	6	13	0	12

Saturday's Results				
Edmonton 3, New England 1				
Quebec 4, Birmingham 2				
Cincinnati 7, Indianapolis 5				

Sunday's Result				
Birmingham 4, Winnipeg (ot)				
Monday's Games				
(No games scheduled)				
Tuesday's Games				
Cincinnati at Quebec				

## Feature races

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## Greenwood peps UCLA

Los Angeles (UPI) — Junior forward David Greenwood scored 21 points and guard Roy Hamilton added 16 Sunday in leading UCLA to an easy 106-73 victory over Seattle University.

The 6-9 Greenwood hit seven of 12 shots from the floor and went seven for eight from the foul line. Reserve forward Darrell Allums added 13 for the Bruins.

Seattle's 7-foot sophomore center, Jawann Oldham, led the Chieftains with 22 points, although the tight UCLA defense held him to just six points in the first half.

The victory was the second straight for the Bruins under new head coach Gary Cunningham. UCLA nipped Brigham Young 75-73 at the buzzer Saturday night.

UCLA outscored Seattle 8-2 in the first five minutes of play, pulled out to a 30-17 advantage and led 49-35 at the half.

## Montreal wins Grey Cup

Montreal (AP) — Quarterback Sonny Wade fired three touchdown passes in an explosive stretch of 3½ minutes of the second half as the Montreal Alouettes broke open the 1977 Grey Cup Game and romped to a 41-6 victory over the Edmonton Eskimos Sunday in the Canadian Football League final.

The touchdown passes—to Peter Dalla Riva and John O'Leary in the dying moments of the third quarter and to Bob Gaddis shortly after the start of the fourth quarter—made an absolute rout of what had until then been a game dominated by field goal kickers.

Don Sweet kicked six field

goals for Montreal, breaking his own Grey Cup record of four in a game, as the Alouettes took a 3-0 lead in the first quarter. They extended it to 10-3 at the half and were ahead 30-6 after three quarters.

So completely did Montreal dominate the game, played on a frozen Olympic Stadium field before 68,205 fans — a Grey Cup record — that the Eskimos were unable to penetrate beyond the Alouettes' 30-yard line until the last few seconds.

The temperature was a chilly 14 degrees. But the cold seemed to affect the play of the Eskimos more than it did that of the Alouettes.

## Penn State QB notes threats

Pittsburgh (AP) — Penn State quarterback Chuck Fusina acknowledged that he and his mother received letters threatening their lives prior to Saturday's nationally televised football game with Pitt.

"I got three or four letters and she got two or three," Fusina said after Penn State edged Pitt 15-13.

"They threatened my mother's life if I played in the game," added the junior quarterback, who completed 13 of 27 passes for 146 yards despite a wind-chill factor of zero and second-half snow.

"I wasn't overly worried, but I had to be concerned because my mother was involved," said Fusina.

"Sick," was how Penn State Coach Joe Paterno described the threats.

Paterno also had high praise for the play of Fusina.

## LSU junior settles for No. 2

United Press International

Charles Alexander closed out his record-setting season on a record-setting note Saturday night, but the Louisiana State junior had to settle for runnerup honors in the race for the national rushing title.

Alexander ran for 231 yards and three touchdowns in the sun bowl-bound Bengals' 66-7 rout of Wyoming. That gave the 215-pound tailback 1,686 yards — 374 more than any other Southeastern conference performer in league history. But Earl Campbell of Texas, who gained 222 yards in his final game, wound up with 1,744 to top the national crown.

However, Alexander, who set another SEC record by carrying the ball 43 times in the game, did move ahead of former leader Terry Miller of Oklahoma State, who ended his

season the previous week with 1,680 yards.

Alexander also broke two school records Saturday night when he raised his season totals for touchdowns and points to 17 and 104 respectively.

The SEC's only other bowl entry, third-ranked Alabama, got off to a slow start Saturday before pouring it on Auburn, 48-21. That gave Alabama, which plays seventh-ranked Ohio State in the Sugar Bowl, a 10-1 mark, but it didn't please Bear Bryant.

"I don't think a great team would give another team three easy touchdowns," grumbled the Bear. "We didn't play with any confidence in the first half. If we did, I couldn't tell it."

Johnny Majors, already saddled with being the first Tennessee coach to lose seven

games in a season, escaped becoming the first to lose all his SEC games Saturday when sophomore quarterback Jimmy Streater ran for three touchdowns and passed for another to lead the Vols to a 42-7 victory over Vanderbilt.

In other Saturday action, the Florida Gators beat Miami of Florida, 31-14; Georgia Tech beat Georgia, 16-7, to hand Vince Dooley his first losing season in his 14 years as Bulldog coach; and Hawaii surprised South Carolina, 24-7.

The regular season ends next Saturday when Florida (6-3-1) hosts Florida State (8-2) which is going to the Tangerine Bowl and Miami (3-7) hosts fifth-ranked Notre Dame (9-1) which has a Cotton Bowl date with top-ranked Texas.

Alabama, paced by quarterback Jeff Rutledge who ran and passed for 295 yards, trailed Auburn 7-0 at the end of

the first period, but led 28-7 at the end of the third.

"After we got it to 28-7, I thought we should win it," said Bryant. "But, I wasn't taking any chances substituting."

Georgia was forced to dig down to its No. 6 quarterback Saturday. The Bulldogs, who lost their first three earlier, lost No. 4, sophomore Randy Cook, via a sprained ankle, and lost No. 5, freshman Steve Welton, via a dislocated fibula on the very next play.

That forced Georgia to play the final 18 minutes with freshman David Sawyer, who had been a reserve with the junior varsity.

"I guess there's a hex on that position," said Cook.

"I hope all my quarterback injuries for my career have come this season," said Dooley.

## Atokad closes out season

South Sioux City — Hindered by cold weather and snow, Atokad closed out its 1977 thoroughbred racing season Sunday with a drop in total attendance and mutual handle from 1976.

After losing five of its scheduled 36 day racing session following a blizzard three weeks ago, Atokad drew 84,751

patrons through its gates, compared to 104,081 a year ago.

The drop in attendance was reflected at the betting windows, as the 1977 session mutual handle total of \$7,622,618 was down from \$9,018,171 in 1976. The daily mutual handle average also diminished from \$290,393 in 1976 to \$245,890 in 1977.

## Atokad races

### Sunday's results

First race, purse \$1,600, 4-year-olds and up, claiming \$2,500, 6-furlongs, T — 1:14 2/5.

Barb's Birthday (Clark) 25.40 10.20 4.80

Classic Decision (Gehri) 12.60 4.40

Masked Roman (Schoepf) 3.20

Also ran — Kelly's Song, Mommy Did It, Whirl A Miss, Fleet Rascal, Mac's Prize, Tack Strip, Tupelo's Jewel.

Second race, purse \$2,000, 2-year-olds, allowance, 6-furlongs, T — 1:14 2/5.

Ten of Spades (Littner) 12.20 4.40 2.20

Jeb's Native (M. Meier) 3.80 2.20

History's Son (Schoepf) 2.20

Also ran — Robin Jacques, Rock Lane, Blazing Jim, Bee Well.

Daily double (2-4) — \$228.80

Third race, purse \$1,900, 4-year-olds and up, claiming \$5,000, 6½-furlongs, T — 1:19 1/5.

Wild Wink (Schoepf) 3.60 3.00 2.20

Praise The Lady (Blazer) 12.80 3.80

Gay Flyer (Wash) 3.60

Also ran — Drunkard, Stevie's Wonder, Be's Fleet, Northern Kid.

Fourth race, purse \$1,500, 4-year-old maidens and up, claiming \$2,000, 5¼-furlongs, T — 1:38.

Favorite Pleasure (Schoepf) 3.60 2.60 2.60

Perfect Press (M. Meier) 10.20 6.60

McAmber (Littner) 4.80

Also ran — Blazing Queen, Vickie's

Lark, Miss Bulcade, Lucky Flyer, Lonely Affair.

Exacta (8-5) — \$126.00

Fifth race, purse \$2,400, 3-and-4 year-olds, allowance, 6½-furlongs, T — 1:20 3/5.

Crazy Sam (Collier) 4.60 3.20 2.60

Foxy Tango (Anderson) 4.80 2.80

Prince of Kandy (Wash) 3.00

Also ran — Lil's Nasco, Dot Barbee, Stretch Art.

Sixth race, purse \$1,500, 4-year-olds and up, claiming \$2,000, 6-furlongs, T — 1:13 1/5.

Grumpy's Boss (Anderson) 9.20 5.40 3.80

Corral Jr. (Gehri) 21.60 10.60

Fogelroy (Padron) 4.40

Also ran — Passum Pet, Formedon, Firenze Mine, Oil Ten Percent, Scooter Boy, J.C.'s Joy, Upper Income.

Exacta (5-7) — \$230.40

Seventh race, purse \$6,000, 3-year-olds and up, handicap, 1 mile & 1/16, T — 1:45.

Turn To Rule (Collier) 5.80 3.80 5.20

Mighty Mike (Wash) 5.80 3.80 5.20

Genie Lynn (Peterson) 5.40

Also ran — Blue Deen, Dumbiea, Duke of Wisner, Master Shad.

Eighth race, purse \$1,700, 4-year-olds and up, claiming \$3,200, 6½-furlongs, T — 1:19 3/5.

No Mystery (Anderson) 5.00 3.40 3.00

Tamara's Image (Wash) 7.00 4.00

Silver Baron (Littner) 7.00

Also ran — Mark Lightly, Tiziopolis, Follow That Cab, Four Rings, Paragon Gem, Walay Malay.

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# Firemen join in fighting 2 fatal fires

London (AP) — Firemen in two cities temporarily ignored their 13-day-old nationwide strike to help battle fires Sunday where lives were lost. A child died in one blaze and an elderly woman in the other.

Two-year-old Andrew Lloyd perished in an early morning apartment house fire in Swansea, Wales. His parents were both hospitalized with severe burns, police said.

A local fire brigade spokesman told reporters, "Fire had got a good hold before there was an alert. The child would not have been rescued even if there were no strike."

Soldiers were unable to reach the child without special breathing ap-

paratus and appealed to picketing firemen for help. They responded, but the youngster was dead when they reached him.

In the other fatal fire, a woman died as flames swept through the house where she lived alone in Maidstone, Kent. Striking firemen went to aid soldiers in an unsuccessful effort to rescue her.

They were the 25th and 26th fire deaths since the strike began Nov. 14 with the country's 33,000 full-time firemen demanding a 30 percent pay hike.

Servicemen, using outmoded army fire engines known as "green goddesses," have been pressed into firefighting duty.

In Edinburgh, Scotland, officials said five servicemen and a senior fire officer were injured in a gas explosion as troops battled a blaze in a top-floor apartment.

Six families in the building were evacuated before the blast, which injured three soldiers, two airmen, and the fire officer. The soldiers and fire officer were treated and released, but both airmen were hospitalized.

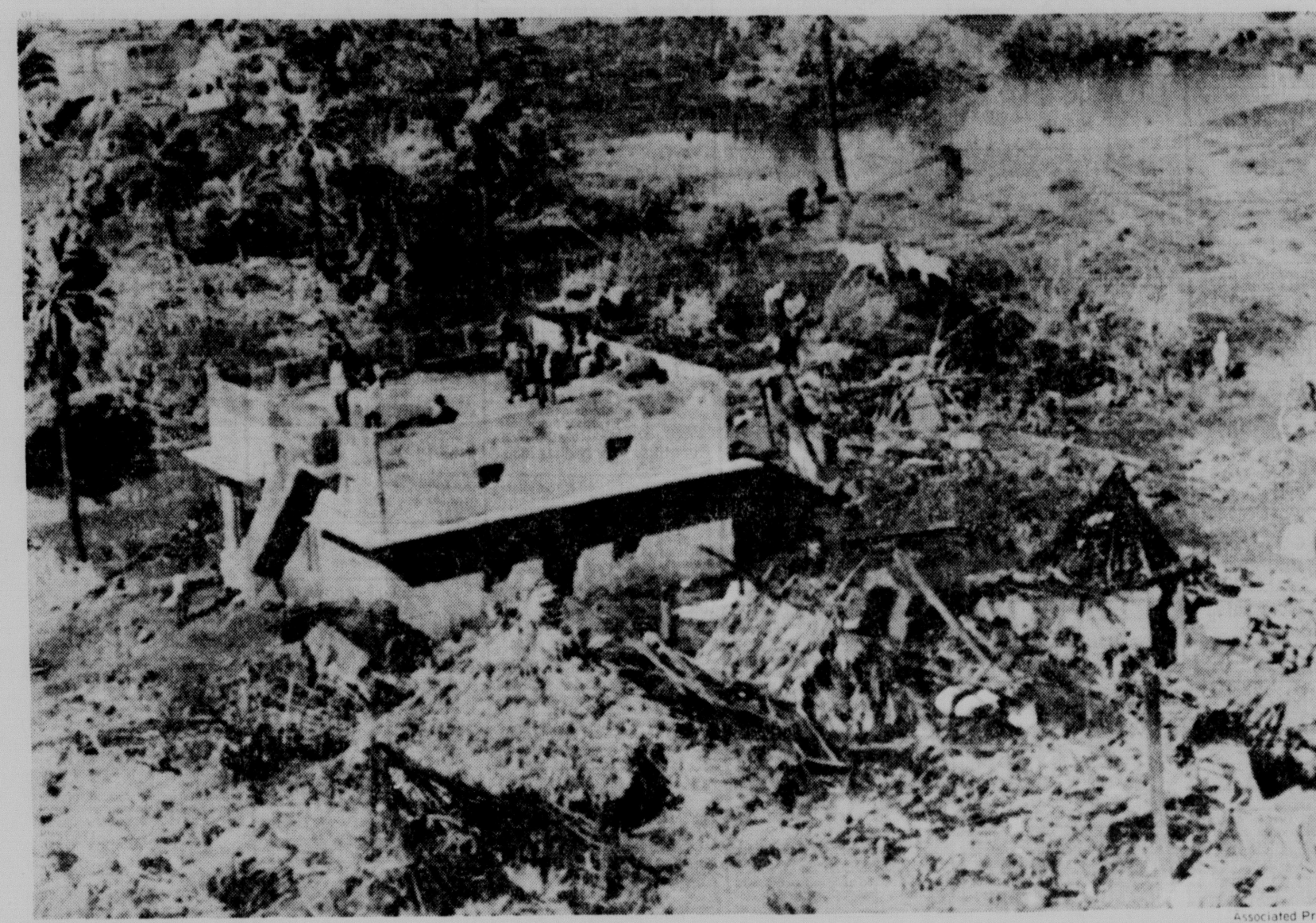
Britain's Labor government appeared headed for a long and bitter struggle with the firemen.

Some 10,000 firefighters and their families marched through London Saturday and presented a petition to Prime Minister James Callaghan signed by 500,000 supporters. A

weekend opinion poll showed that two out of three Britons think the firemen should be treated as a special case and given a pay raise above the government's 10 percent anti-inflation guidelines.

Firemen now earn an average of \$115 for a 48-hour work week. Their take-home pay is nearly \$23 a week below the average wage, according to the Fire Brigades Union.

The unprecedented strike has made Britons more fire conscious, according to the government. The death toll for the past two weeks compared to an average of 40 deaths every two weeks in recent years, and insurance companies reported a reduction in fire claims since the strike began.



Survivors of cyclone and flooding wave from roof of a stone house, one of few left standing in Devi Taluk.

## Cover-up of extent of disaster charged

New Delhi, India (AP) — Local authorities were accused Sunday of trying to conceal the dimensions of India's tidal wave-cyclone disaster, the subject of growing political controversy.

Four leaders of Prime Minister Morarji Desai's Janata party, including three members of parliament, said in a joint statement the death toll from last weekend's storm is much higher than the confirmed total of 7,988 given out by the opposition-ruled state government.

Unofficial estimates have ranged up to 50,000.

"Is the state trying to hide its criminal negligence or has it been stupefied in the wake of enormous tragedy?" the politicians asked in a joint statement on their return from the area.

Meanwhile former Prime Minister Indira Gandhi flew to the disaster area to visit storm survivors. Storm-ravaged Andhra Pradesh State is ruled by her Congress Party. Mrs. Gandhi

has been attempting a political comeback since her party was routed by Desai forces in national elections last March.

A succession of dignitaries has been visiting the storm area, taking up the time of officials trying to organize relief, press reports said.

In another development, the Andhra Pradesh state education minister, M.V. Krishna Rao, submitted his resignation Rao issued a statement saying his services were more needed in his devastated home district than in the state capital.

Rao was reported distressed by the loss of hundreds of his friends and by lagging efforts to collect and dispose of victims' bodies.

The newspaper human Bazar Patrika reported that in one district, 4,000 rotting human corpses and numerous dead buffalo were still awaiting burial or cremation. The state government's offer to private operators of 20 rupees (\$2.35) per body to dispose of them has found no takers, the paper said.

## India orders tighter security on railways

New Delhi, India (AP) — Prime Minister Morarji Desai's government Sunday night ordered tighter security on the Indian railways and at power, communications and other vital installations.

The move followed a series of accidents and fires that some authorities attributed to sabotage. They variously blamed anti-government political elements or the Anand Marg, a Hindu religious sect currently agitating for the release of its leader, in prison on a murder conviction.

The security measures were ordered after seven suspected sabotage attempts in the past 15 days against India's far-flung government railroad system, a fire that burned tapes and files at a government radio studio and

an explosion at a thermal electric plant.

In the most serious incident, 20 persons died in a train derailment south of New Delhi last Wednesday. The railways minister said the track joint had been opened in what he called a clear case of sabotage.

Security measures included placing armed police aboard the Taj Express, a train that carries mainly tourists between New Delhi and Agra, site of the Taj Mahal. A newspaper said authorities received an anonymous threat to blow up the train.

Home Minister Charan Singh announced the tightening of "vigilance and protection" at a session of top law enforcement officials Sunday that followed a cabinet meeting on the problem.

Without giving details, he said the measures "would necessarily involve restrictions on opportunity for access to vital installations and other places of strategic importance."

Asking for public cooperation, Singh said "only the vigilance of citizens can strengthen the hands of the government without any risk of creating a police state."

Denouncing "attempts of mischief-mongers to create scare, confusion or alarm," he said, "if any group or groups of persons delude themselves into the belief that they can overawe the government by such acts, they are sadly mistaken."

Minister of Industries George Fernandes said in a speech that the radio station fire, some recent train accidents and the power plant explosion

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Lincoln General Hospital		Sons		
Buchanan — Rebecca Oaks, 1713 A. Nov. 26.	Nov. 26.	Estle — Mr. and Mrs. Marvin (Kathy Keating), 4500 Adams, Nov. 27.	Nov. 27.	
Thomas — Cheryl, 1019 S. 17th.		Gotchall — Mr. and Mrs. John (Marsha Rupert), 1539 S. 19th, Nov. 26.		
Daughters		Sons		
Breckner — Mr. and Mrs. Jack (Laura Schroeder), 1325 West Q. Nov. 26.	Nov. 26.	Jones — Mr. and Mrs. James J. (Dollie Jackson), 3707 NW 53rd, Nov. 27.	Nov. 27.	
Dieckmann — Mr. and Mrs. Arthur (Ursula Sieradzki), 7145 Holdrege, Nov. 26.		Jurries — Mr. and Mrs. Michael (Tammy Blazek), 3831 N. 56th, Nov. 26.		
Dinan — Mr. and Mrs. John (Eileen Mosher), 5119 Colby, Nov. 26.	Nov. 26.	Kohmetscher — Mr. and Mrs. Eugene (Suzanne Classen), 1616 W. Sumner, Nov. 26.	Nov. 26.	
Fleeces — Mr. and Mrs. Ronald (Nancy Graves), 144 W. Fairfield, Nov. 27.		Relys — Mr. and Mrs. J. Fernando (Lois Haar), 5426 Madison, Nov. 26.		
Gandy — Mr. and Mrs. Timothy (Joan Rolse), 500 W. Cornhusker, Apt. A, Nov. 26.	Nov. 27.	Thompson — Mr. and Mrs. Gary (Jacquelyn Thomas), 7351 Willow Ave., Nov. 26.	Nov. 26.	
Rogers — Cheryl, 2910 Dudley, Apt. 4, Nov. 27.		Daughters		
Bryan Memorial Hospital		Bargas — Mr. and Mrs. Melvin (Lorraine Ford), 5331 S. 53rd, Nov. 25.	Nov. 25.	
Sons		Martaus — Mr. and Mrs. Paul (Melbeth Mosser), 7209 Huntington Ave., Nov. 26.		
Holmes — Mr. and Mrs. H. Duane (Pamela Chase), 1645 W. Garfield, Nov. 25.	Nov. 25.	Sinner — Mr. and Mrs. E. Lyle (Luetta Wissink), 4915 Sherwood Drive, Nov. 26.	Nov. 26.	
Walla — Mr. and Mrs. Daniel (Marcia Hestermann), 5219 Cleveland Ave., Nov. 26.		Fire Calls		
Zimbelman — Mr. and Mrs. Michael (Sara Lauer), 2521 S. 20th, Nov. 26.	12:48 a.m., 4735 S. 54th, check hot plastic odor.			
Daughters		1:02 a.m., 1224 C. # 4, medical emergency.		
Cooper — Mr. and Mrs. Larry (Teresa Jucht), Neligh, Nov. 26.	10:59 a.m., 2340 W. O. lot 27, trailer house on fire.			
Joekel — Mr. and Mrs. Steven (Pamela Turek), 3637 Randolph, Nov. 26.	11:37 a.m., 61st & Morrill, medical emergency.			
Semrad — Mr. and Mrs. Gary (Kathleen Ohnoutka), Weston, Nov. 26.	1:05 p.m., 823 N. 29th, medical emergency.			
Vesely — Mr. and Mrs. Anthony (Mary Lenz), 1624 W. Garfield, Nov. 26.	6:14 p.m., 1140 Butler, assistance.			
	7:03 p.m., 1300 S. 13th, #10, trouble with fuse box.			

### NWU fashion show to feature economics of making clothes.

"Threads and Things" is the theme of a fashion show scheduled for 8 p.m. Friday at Nebraska Wesleyan University. The show in the Campus Center is sponsored by the NWU Afro-American Collegiate Society and Reach Out, a Malone Community Center based group, according to Michele Black, AACA president.

"Our emphasis will be on the economics of making one's own clothes," Black said. The groups are asking for a two dollar donation for admission.

### Maynard Ferguson orchestra to appear at Wesleyan festival

Maynard Ferguson and his orchestra will appear Feb. 11 in concert at Nebraska Wesleyan University's O'Donnell Auditorium in the Rogers Fine Arts Center.

The Ferguson concert will cap the annual Plainsman Honors Music Festival, according to Larry Rawlins, director of bands at Nebraska Wesleyan. The music festival will have some 300 high school students from around the state participating in band, orchestra and choral groups.

### Audobon Society features ornaments

New York (UPI) — The National Audubon Society is starting up a new series of collectibles. For the birds, of course.

A set of three glass Christmas tree ornaments with bird motifs is the first in what will be a series of holiday decorations, the society said.

Each pearl white ornament is about three and a quarter inches in diameter and contains a color illustration of the eastern bluebird, the Baltimore oriole or the cardinal.


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Purebred Brittany pups for sale, 7 weeks old, \$40, 532-1591, Beaver Crossing.

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Wanted to buy Hoover portable washers & dryers, 423-7769, 423-7769.

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Cook for family, mature woman, good pay, benefits, furnished apt. occasional large dinners. Contact Beverly Sinden, 1425 H St., 432-3123.

Bus personnel, cocktail waitresses, anytime kitchen help, apply at 227 N. 9th, after 2pm.

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**BELLMAN**

Full time & part time evenings, apply in person to Craig Redmon, Cornhusker Hotel, 13th & M St.

**COOK**

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**Dairy Queen - Brazier**

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Early morning & late evening hours. MISTY "O".

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Full time hours, 2:30-10:30pm. Experience helpful, but not necessary.

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Evenings hours. Top wages paid.

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College graduate with strong human relations, written and verbal communications skills, experience in human services or fund raising desired, excellent fringe benefits, resumes accepted through Nov. 18, 1977. Home-Steak Girl Scout Council, 215 Centennial Mall S., Lincoln, NE 68508. An equal opportunity employer.

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Adjuster, male or female for in office claim handling. Must have experience in automobile liability claims. Outstanding benefits program. Call Harry Blum at 432-2666 or write to 1335 "H", Lincoln, NE 68501.

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Full time positions. Meals furnished. Holiday & vacation pay, insured program. Miller Nursing Home, 1750 S. 20th.

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Person to operate peripheral devices (CRT) to transfer data from documents to computer bank, file data source documents, & perform relational work. Excellent working conditions.

**CENTRAL SERVICE TECHNICIAN**

Sterilizes medical instruments & assembles surgical packs under strict conditions, full time position on night shift.

**PATIENT REGISTRAR**

Part time individual to admit incoming patients & register out patients by interviewing them to obtain necessary information, requires good communication skills & computer skills & prefer medical terminology.

**COOK**

Prepares & cooks food within a pre set time & performs other duties assigned in kitchen area, prefer previous institutional cooking experience.

**Dept. of Human Resources**

An equal opportunity affirmative action plan employer.

**RESPIRATORY THERAPIST**

Immediate opening in progressive 145 bed hospital on 3-11 shift for respiratory eligible therapist. C.R.T. Hospital, excellent position. Paid vacation. Apply in person to Stephenson's School Supply, 935 O St. 28

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Insurance office has opening for part time secretary. If interested, please call 483-2918 Monday-Friday.

**SECRETARY KEYPUNCH OPERATOR FILE CLERK STENO CLERK**

Due to extensive reorganization we are adding to our staff. If you feel you have the qualifications for any of the above positions please feel free to apply. Our hours are 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday-Friday. 483-2918

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All LIGHT INDUSTRIAL! 477-4178

**CODE CLERK**

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**FARM BUREAU INSURANCE**

**DATA PROCESSING CLERK**

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**Head Nurse for EMERGENCY ROOM**

Due to the increase in utilization of our Emergency Room, we have an opening for a full-time Registered Nurse in this exciting department. Contact Linda Amer, Director of Nursing.

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Beatrice, Nebraska  
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Part time 7:30-11:30 shifts. Full time 9:30-3:30 shifts. Housekeeper. Full time, day shift.

**ORDERLY**

Full time, 7am-3:30pm. Training classes with pay. Meals furnished. Holiday & vacation pay, insurance program. Miller Nursing Home, 1750 S. 20th.

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C.R.T. Graduates, Registered Therapists, excellent opportunity to participate in a dynamic growing department. Develop your clinical and didactic skills while working in a challenging environment. Outstanding benefit package as well as 24 hour in-house medical direction. Apply to: UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA MEDICAL CENTER, 619 South 42nd Street, Omaha, NE 68101. An Equal Opportunity Employer M/F/H

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**LPN'S**

Team leaders needed in nursing home for 12am-3:15pm shift.

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Full time, 6:45-11:30am & 4:30-8:30pm. Apply at Taft-Hamilton, 4720 Randolph, 8am-2pm, 489-3837. An equal opportunity employer

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**BANKERS LIFE NEBRASKA**

has an opening for a Data Entry Clerk. Specific duties will include operating a Data Entry Keyboard. Accurate typing skills, 45-55 wpm, required. Keyboard experience helpful & insurance forms. Excellent working conditions. 36 1/2 hour week, Mon-Friday. For appt. call 467-1122.

**Clerk Typist:** We have an immediate opening in our Customer Service department for an individual with the ability to compose & type letters. Permanent full time position. Paid vacation. Apply in person to Stephenson's School Supply, 935 O St. 28

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**Duroc York-Pk crossed open gilts, out of S.P.F. stock, available year round, Bill Corman, Hardy, Neb. 477-2383, or 402-279-3855.**

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**Registered quarterhorse, speed event trained, 15 hands, 10 yrs. old, 488-2553.**

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**Yashica TL Electra X camera, 50mm lens, 75-230mm zoom lens, 200mm lens, 78mm wide angle lens, extension tubes, doubling gadget bag. Complete package, \$650 or best offer, 432-0285.**

### 505 Store & Business Equipment

**Surplus vending equipment, gum ball & cigarette machines, 466-2341.**

**3M desk-top photocopier with supply of paper, 6 months new, \$160, independent Realty 467-4571.**

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**FOR SALE**

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**TV City 464-0546**

**3610 N. 48th**

**New Philips's, along with our usual large selection of used color TVs. Some turntable. Opened July 12-8pm. Saturday 9-5. Closed Sunday.**

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**82 fancy big bred heifers from 1 ranch consisting of 40 Herefords & 42 black white face, all are bred to Angus bulls for March & April calving.**

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**STEPHENSON SCHOOL**  
Supply Co.  
935 "O" St.  
Has an opening for a MERCHANDISE CONTROL CLERK. Qualifying person must like detail work & be able to type. Call Mr. Teters at 432-7663.

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700 N. COTNER  
Receptionist/telephone operator must enjoy contact with people & possess good typing, transcription abilities, excellent working conditions, fringe benefits. Phone 463-2381 ext. 230 for appointment. An equal opportunity employer M/F 29

## DATA INPUT OPERATOR

Full time position. 8am-4:45 pm Monday-Friday. Requires typing & 10-key adding machine experience.

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Full time position, 11pm-7:30am, Monday-Friday & part time positions 12-3:30am, Monday-Friday & 7pm-12:30am, Monday-Friday. Requires previous 10-key adding machine experience.

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Full time position, 5pm-1:30am, Monday-Friday. Part time position 12-3:30am, Monday-Friday. Requires previous 10-key adding machine experience.

## ENCODER OPERATOR

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Now hiring full time. Apply in person.

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Part time hours available. Must have experience in all office procedures. Some holiday & weekend work required. Apply at Miller Manor Nursing Home, 1750 So. 26

## RECEPTIONIST

Preventive contemporary dental office seeks mature person for receptionist/office manager. Responsibilities include appointment scheduling and telephone patient contact. General office, light bookkeeping & some dental work. Two doctor office, convenient location. Send resume with picture to Journal-Star Box 107.

## Teller

Opportunity for people person to join this large expanding financial institution & participate in teller training classes beginning soon. If you enjoy meeting people, like figuring work & can type please call 435-3572 & arrange for your interview. An equal opportunity employer M/F 29

## SECRETARY

Leading manufacturer is seeking a responsible, individual with good skills in typing (60 wpm or more), sales & experience in Dictaphone, able to work with figures, immediate opening.

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Immediate position available for individual with good typing skills (60wpm) and transcribing knowledge required. Selling is essential, general office experience, new sales/service branch close to South Airpark entrance. Both have excellent working conditions and fringe benefits, hours 8:30am-5:00pm, starting salary commensurate with experience. Call Personnel for an appointment, 786-2240.

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620 N. 48th  
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## CLERICAL: Job has responsibility

Work with shipping orders, file, stamp & package. Please do not apply if you do not have these qualifications. Salary is open. Immediate employment after your credentials are checked. Big Red Novelty Products, 1325 South St., 474-0408.

## SUPERVISOR: For 6 person

department. Baking experience necessary. Scheduling. Maintain work flow. Customer service. To 1625. Call 464-8205.

## PAYROLLS: For freight. Answer

phone. Some figure work plus misc duties. FEE PD. \$525. Call 464-8205.

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ability. Desire payroll experience to figure commissions and rates. \$600. Call 464-8205.

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likes working with people. Accurate and able to handle money. To \$550. Call 464-8205.

## SMALL OFFICE: In Northeast

Lincoln. Answer phone. Help customers. Variety of light office duties. \$475+. Call 464-8205.

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ASSIST. \$600. CASHIER. \$525. FIRE INS. RATER. \$550 with experience. Call 464-8205.

## SALES: Looking for a mgmt.

potential. College degree with 1 to 5 years business or sales experience. Lincoln and 25% travel surrounding area. FEE PD. \$13,000. Call 464-8205.

## LABORER: No experience necessary.

Must be stable and willing to work. \$610. Call 464-8205.

## ADMIN ASST.: M-F 8:30-5

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## CAREER OPPORTUNITY: Like

person with some college who is looking for his/her first job in the working field. Learn phases of the business to become a manager. FEE REIMB. Call 464-8205.

## ACCOUNTANT: Need BS in accounting.

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## 625 Office/Clerical

**CLERK TYPIST**  
Two immediate part-time openings available with the U.S. Army Reserve. Good pay and benefits. Interview with Mr. Allen. For details, call John at 467-4661.

## 630 Retail Stores

**SALES PERSON WANTED** - ability to sell & meet the public most important. Write & include full details. Fabric Village, Journal-Star Box 98. 28

## Part time help for receiving room

Ben Simon's Gateway, must be able to work evenings, & weekends. Apply daily. Joe Ellen at Gateway. 24

## CLERICAL

Need immediately. Full time. Permanent. Fringe benefits. Latches, 1124 "O". An Equal Opportunity Employer 30

## Applications being taken for temporary

Christmas help. Must be willing to work flexible hours. Apply in person, 8-3 S S Kresge, Gateway. 2

## Help wanted - Weekend Night Shift

Responsible person. Apply in person to Louie or Tom. MR. B's IGA, 4th & Van Dorn. 2

## MAJOR APPLIANCE SALES

Experience in appliances is a must. Excellent company benefits. Apply.

## WOOLCO DEPT. STORE

48th & Van Dorn  
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**DownTown**  
Full Time  
Sales, Linens, Seasonal  
Bakery trainee  
Candy maker trainee (heavy lifting)  
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Sales in Sportswear  
Sales in bakery, 35 hrs.  
Some holiday  
Picture frame cutter, 32 hrs.  
Dishwashing operator  
Busboy 10:45-4:30

## GATEWAY FULL TIME

Seasonal sales, China & Silver  
Portrait studio receptionist & sales  
**PART TIME**  
Early morning cleaning, 6am-10am, Mon. thru Fri.  
Discount on employee purchases & other benefits. Apply in person to our downtown Personnel Office, 7th floor.

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## BRANDEIS GATEWAY Alterations

Cash office  
Immediate openings in alterations department & cash office. Experience preferred. Salary plus liberal store benefits. Apply in person, Bran-deis Gateway.  
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Permanent full time position open in our newly remodeled cosmetic department. 5-day work week. Cosmetic experience helpful, however we will train. Entry level store benefits. Apply in person, downtown, Mon. thru Fri., 10am-4pm.

## 635 Sales/Agents

**BUILD A CAREER**  
With Mutual of Omaha. Contact Bob Landry, 475-5902. Equal Opportunity Company. M-F.

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Agents Wanted  
Call about pre-license course starting December 1. 432-6555

## AN OPPORTUNITY

For a young, energetic sales oriented person full time. Salary commensurate with qualifications. Call Hugh Dobler, Service Master of Lincoln, 435-5556.

## REAL ESTATE AGENT WANTED

Call Mr. Butera, CENTURY 21 Lancaster Real Estate, 467-4661.

## 7 men needed for work

Local distributor of electrical equipment. Call 477-7882 for confidential interview, 10 a.m. till noon & 1-5 p.m.

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man or woman who is very well groomed, must have the ability to sell lamps & plaques. Please do not apply if you do not have these qualifications. Salary is open. Immediate employment after your credentials are checked. Big Red Novelty Products, 1325 South St., 474-0408.

## Immediate opening for aggressive

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full time - permanent, time & 1/2 over 40 hours. Unlimited Supply. Rents, 435-3525.

## National corporation has opening for

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MONEY: Good income with growth potential.  
PRODUCT: Sound company with good benefits.  
MARKET: Long line of competitive, well priced products & related services. 16 county area in Nebraska with concentration on Lincoln market. Must be willing to live in Lincoln.  
REQUIREMENTS: Must be ambitious & honest with steady work record.  
CONTACT: Bob Lyons, General Manager, Diamond Vogel Paints, 7870 L St. Omaha, 592-2400. 5

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**WANTED**  
Salesladies or Salesmen  
To work a 20 mile radius of Lancaster County. Experienced or willing to train. Excellent pay, leased car available. Hospital benefits. Hawaii trips given on good production. The motor club field, 474-4717. 22

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## Openings for ambitious, reliable

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Our growing company wants to expand now with 2 salespersons in our proven home sales. We will soon be using the guaranteed sales & trade program. Generous bonus plan, some new home sales, it's fun to work for CSI Real Estate. We offer an extensive new training program and really prefer the newly licensed person with loads of ambition. All inquiries held in confidence. Call Casey Hartman 425-6776 or 423-1160 evenings for an appointment.

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Looking for a clean lake less than 30 minutes from Lincoln? The water's here already. Lots of shade trees, lake is approximately 2 1/2 miles long & lake level never varies all summer long. Priced from \$23,950-53,950. 1-7 bedrooms, all with at least 60 frontage on lake & some are furnished including boating docks.  
• Lot 212, 3 bedroom, SOLD.  
• Lot 51, 2 bedroom, \$24,950.  
• Lot 63, 2 bedroom, \$24,950.  
• Lot 339, 2 bedroom, \$25,950.  
• Lot 14, 2 bedroom, SOLD.  
• Lot 371, 4 bedroom, \$31,950.  
• Lot 113, 3 bedroom, SOLD.  
• Lot 229, 2 bedroom, SOLD.  
• Lot 329A, 3 bedroom, SOLD.  
• Lot 126, 4 bedroom, SOLD.  
• Lot 91, 2 bedroom, SOLD.  
• Lot 45, 7 bedroom, \$59,950.  
• Lot 70, 3 bedroom, \$34,950.  
• Lot 138, 3 bedroom, \$63,950.

Some of the above properties are year around homes. Country school is less than 1 mile, high school is in Nebraska City. For more details or private tour call Bob Shaffer, (402) 341-4191 or Lake Waconda, (402) 263-3480 or (402) 392-0800. A9  
1974 Deltroler, 14x65, warm country interior, den with bay window, central air, very nice. 443-1291. 14  
74 3 bedroom, 14x65 Concord, 477-1438, 781-2792. 25  
1961 10x50 Frontier, setup, a real dollhouse, new carpet, new appliances, priced to sell. 212 Furtace, 464-7313, 475-3669. 25

Reposessed 75 Broadmoor, 14x70, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, fully furnished, set up & immediately available. 477-4444. 25

**901 Aircraft/Service**  
1971 Cessna Cardinal CS prop. 180hp, 1700, 2400, 2600, 2800, 3000, 3200, 3400, 3600, 3800, 4000, 4200, 4400, 4600, 4800, 5000, 5200, 5400, 5600, 5800, 6000, 6200, 6400, 6600, 6800, 7000, 7200, 7400, 7600, 7800, 8000, 8200, 8400, 8600, 8800, 9000, 9200, 9400, 9600, 9800, 10000. 26  
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**905 Motorcycles & Minibikes**  
Lovely 2 bedroom 12 x 47, 1970 model mobile home, stove, refrigerator, double door, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, air-conditioned, disposal, range, draperies, family room. 464-7428. 26  
Two mobile homes in Crete, 14x70, 12x40, 8x32, porch, completely furnished, central air, located on farm, can remain there rent free. Also 12x60, completely furnished, with window, air, washer, dryer, 1970 model, 8x10 metal shed, presently being rented. Excellent investment properties. For appt. phone after 5pm. (402) 826-8261. 26  
2 bedroom, 10 x 50 mobile home, 3300, 1030 No. 48, Lot 84. After 4:30, 488-2717. 28

**BEL-NORTH VILLAGE**  
19th & Superior  
Beautiful View: Champion deluxe mobile home, double wide, 1440 sq. ft., living room + family room, good eating area, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, storage shed & central air. Call Chris 475-7539, 475-0375 evenings. 515-2520. 28  
Desirable Southeast location, 2 bedroom Marlett, washer & dryer, excellent condition. Immediate occupancy. Will consider contract. 475-9590, 488-2026. 29  
3 bedroom modular, 1500 sq. ft., stove & refrigerator, after 5 p.m., 475-2427. 29  
Want to buy used mobile home, to move, cash. 488-2026. 21

**MOBILE HOME TRANSPORTING**  
Any size mobile home towing & setup. Insured. Exelior Bros., Lincoln 475-7570. 22  
74 Bonneville 14x70 2 bedroom, shed, air, appliances, dishwasher, disposal, in Country side, 475-3865. 3  
1974 3 bedroom Concord, very good condition, price negotiable. In Eagle. Can be moved. Call toll free 781-2792. 29  
73 Champion 14x60, to move, completely furnished, make offer. 782-6875. 29  
1970 Safeway 12x60 2 bedroom, appliances furnished, in Gaslight Village, \$5500. 475-2468. 4  
Exceptionally clean, 1971 Ritzcraft, 14x70, air, washer & dryer, soft water, new carpeting, storage shed, fenced yard. After 6pm or weekends 475-7266. 29

**WOOD SIDED**  
2 bedroom mobile home on corner lot. \$300 Down, \$105 Per Month with qualified credit.  
**BILL CARROLL HOME SALES**  
2701 No. 27  
435-3291 432-4702  
3  
3 bedroom with basement, nice yard. Monthly payments - \$215 with \$2,000 Down.  
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**CONTEMPO/LINCOLN**  
3601 N. 1st  
435-6683  
Now Renting Large, Choice Lots. 14  
For rent - large & small lots, 3201 No. 27, 466-7121 after 4. 6

**840 Out-of-Town Property**  
TAKE OVER 40 ACRES and 50% of all mineral rights. Near El Paso, Texas. No down. Pay 2 payments of \$109 each. Take over \$1,282 - was \$31,000. Absolute money back guarantee. Call Al collect 602-640-8011. 14A  
Family house to be restored, beveled glass & oak finish, new basement, furnace, wiring, insulation, plumbing, write Box 102, Gresham, Ore. 68367. 29

**845 Real Estate Wanted**  
WHY BE BOTHERED?  
Our trained staff will take care of the details that go with selling your home. Call the Professionals at AUSTIN REALTY CO. 489-9361 30  
Rural Oakdale couple wants to buy 10-15 acre homestead in any county. Good neighbors, trees of shading, Allen & Constance Berg. 716-2583. 24  
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1974 FORD RANCHERO, V8 engine, power steering, power brakes, automatic Transmission, AM radio, heavy duty suspension, vinyl roof, AHSCHWEDE FORD, INC., Crete, Nebr. 826-2127 24  
Ford 73 3/4 ton pickup, only \$1695, HD 10 angle dozer, good runner, \$3750, Ford N tractor, loader & blade, \$1775. Steel chain saws, all sizes, OHS, \$149.50. HYD tractor loader, \$145. Ford A Parts, Andy's Garage, 789-2500 Greenwood. 23  
1974 Chevy Luv, good condition, Phone after 6pm, Syracuse 269-2768. 13  
1967 GMC 3/4 ton pickup, V6 4 speed, 70,000 miles, with Valenshine, best offer. Also '69 Pontiac Squire Wagon, 489-8802. 19A  
70 Chevy 292 1/2 ton, \$1295, 475-8118 after 5 p.m. or weekends. 16

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Two glasspacks, silencers, \$59.50. Headers \$119.95 installed on most AM cars & trucks. Large stock of foreign and domestic mufflers.  
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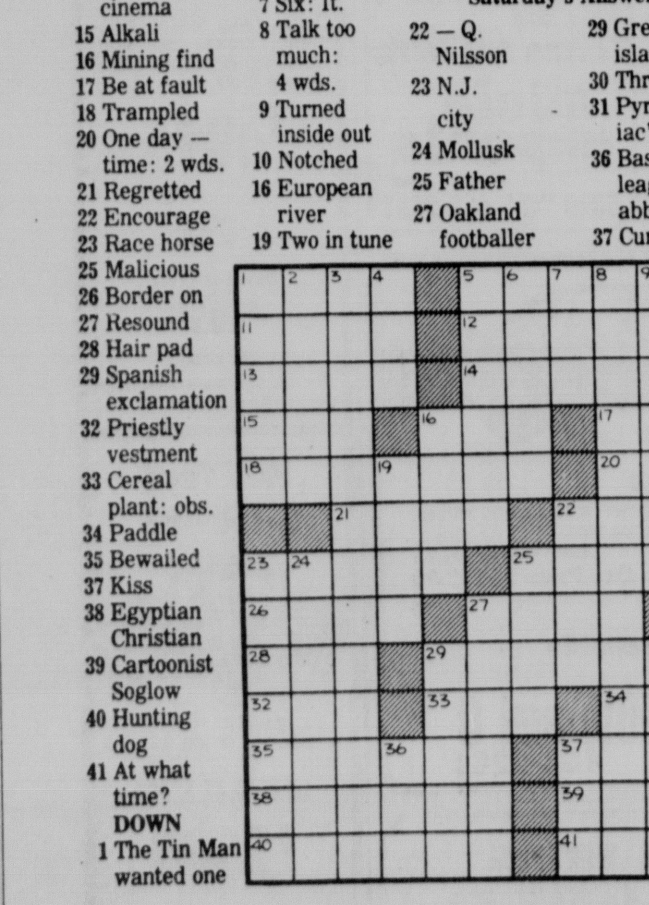
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Crossword by THOMAS JOSEPH

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Astrological Forecast by Sidney Omarr

Monday, November 28, 1977

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Emphasis on movement, change, relatives in transit. calls, messages. Be flexible. Don't panic. You will not have an easy time. It is better to have Taurus as an ally, especially if you were born under Capricorn, Cancer, Pisces, Virgo or Scorpio. Greater recognition due for Taurus in 1978 - August could be a most significant month.

Wishing Well

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Y L A V P F G F L 0 0 0 R  
3 5 2 4 8 7 6 4 8 5 3 7 6  
E O U U A I G T M G A N I  
7 4 3 5 2 4 3 5 6 7 8 2 A  
E H M R P I A E C R E A N  
5 8 6 7 3 5 2 7 3 4 6 5 8  
S S A E R S Y C K K L A T  
4 3 5 2 4 7 3 6 8 5 8 4 7  
S E S C T E T P O S P R P  
8 7 4 3 5 2 8 4 6 2 7 3 5  
L T A F U A A I L S I I R  
3 5 6 7 8 4 7 2 5 3 4 6 4  
N E A O Y G N H D D H N T

Here is a pleasant little game that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 4 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 4, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner of the rectangle and check every one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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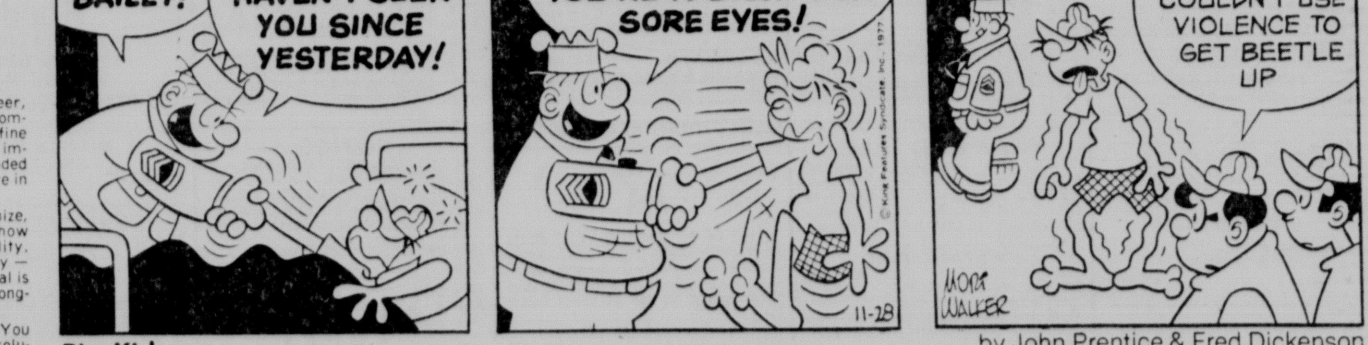
The Lockhorns by Hoest



Hi And Lois by Mort Walker & Dik Browne



Beetle Bailey by Mort Walker



Rip Kirby by John Prentice & Fred Dickenson



The Ryatts by Jack Elrod



The Girls by Franklin Folger



Now when you show it to my husband it would be best not to mention that it's the kind of gift a woman never stops talking about.